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Date.	Steamers.	Tons.
1922		
2nd December	KAISAR-I-HIND	11,430
9th "	NARKUNDA†	16,227
16th "	CALEDONIA*	7,622
23rd "	KARMALA*	9,098
30th "	CHINA	7,952
1923		
6th January	MOLDAVIA†	15,800
13th "	KASHGAR*	8,840
20th "	MANTUA	10,902
27th "	NALDERA†	15,825
3rd February	MALWA	10,941
10th "	KAISAR-I-HIND	11,430
17th "	KHYBER	9,014
24th "	MACEDONIA†	11,089
3rd March	CALEDONIA	7,622
10th "	DEVANHA	8,092
17th "	CHINA	7,952
24th "	MOREA*	10,911
31st "	MANTUA	10,902
7th April	MALWA	10,941
14th "	KAISAR-I-HIND	11,430
21st "	NARKUNDA†	16,227
28th "	MACEDONIA	11,089

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1922.		
4th December	MATIANA	8,600
22nd "	MULBERA	9,100
1923		
5th January	MASHOBRA	8,324
19th "	GAZANA*	5,234
2nd February	GAMARIA*	5,255
16th "	MASULA*	7,261
7th March	MUNDRA	7,275
16th March	DUMRA	8,441
30th "	MATIANA	8,600
13th April	MULBERA	9,100
27th "	MANTOLA	8,963

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1922.		
15th December	MACEDONIA	Connects at Colombo with s. s. "Nellore."
28th "	SOUDAN	
1923		
12th January	MOREA	
22nd "	SICILIA	
9th February	NARKUNDA	Connects at Colombo with s. s. "Khyber."
28th February	SOUDAN	
9th March	MOLDAVIA	Connects at Colombo with s. s. "Karmala"
6th April	NALDERA	Connects at Colombo with s. s. "Kashgar"

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Date	Steamers.	Tons
15th December	MACEDONIA	11,089
1923.		
9th February	NARKUNDA	16,227
9th March	MOLDAVIA	15,800
6th April	NALDERA	15,825

BRITISH INDIA SAILINGS.

TO AFRICA, KARACHI AND PERSIAN GULF

Date about	Steamers	Destination.
27th Nov.	VITA	Karachi via K'war.
29th "	KARAGOLA	East & S. Africa.
1st Dec.	VASNA	Basra via Karachi

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Tsushima Maru	T. Takeda	6,746	9 Dec.	16 Dec.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE.

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CHAULU RAM DIAL,
B.A., Pleader,
State Secretary,
Sohawal State.
C14939

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G. E. R. SLADE,
Controller of Stores,
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SEASON TICKET FARES.

THE EXISTING SEASON TICKET fares shown on pages 103 to 114 of the Current Time Table Guide and Coaching Tariff will be increased by a further 10 per cent from 1st December, 1922, making the total increase to 25 per cent over the fares charged up to 1st April 1921.

D. S. BURN.
Chief Traffic Manager.
Bombay, 22nd November, 1922.
C14930

NOTICE.

THE FRAMJEE PETIT SPG. & MFG. CO. LTD.

LOST OR MISPLACED.

ONE DIVIDEND WARRANT No. 198 in respect of the fifty-fourth Dividend for the half year ended 31st December, 1920, for the sum of Rs. 200 made out in the name of Bai Tara Thakorbhai Moolchand has been LOST or MISPLACED. Any claim in respect of the said Dividend Warrant or the amount thereof should be notified to the Agents of the above Company at the Registered office of the Company at 41, Nicol Road, Ballard Estate, Fort, Bombay, within one month from this date, otherwise a duplicate Warrant will be issued to the said Bai Tara.

Bombay November, 1922.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

AN ORDINARY MONTHLY MEETING of the Corporation will be held in the Municipal Office on MONDAY, the 4th December, 1922, at 3 p.m. (Bombay Time), for the consideration of the following business:—

1. (a) Letter from the Secretary, Schools Committee—Intimating that Mr. Naravan Vishwanath Mandlik, Dr. Jehangir J. Cursetji, Mr. Mirza Ali Mohammed Khan, and Mr. N. M. Joshi, members of the Schools Committee will retire at the end of the current calendar year and (b) Election of four members.

2. Letter from Mr. K. S. Sanghani—Regarding the acquisition of his client's property at Portuguese Church Road by the Municipality.

3. Letter from Mr. K. D. Ravat—Regarding the Tramway Company's refusal to fix a meter board at a position selected by him at his premises No. 15, Borbhat Lane.

4. Letter from Visram Teja—Regarding his dismissal from Municipal service.

5. Letters from Messrs. Vishnu Hari Athavale—Regarding the cutting off of the down take pipe from the storage tank to the flushing cisterns of premises Nos. 39-41, 2nd Fanaswadi.

6. Letter from Mr. Pandit Venkatrao—Suggesting that portions of Queen's Road in front of the Marine Lines and Charni Road Railway Stations should be marked off where all motor cars, motor cycles, etc., should be made to drive very cautiously and slowly in order to avoid accidents.

7. Letter from Mr. W. L. Kail, B. A.—Suggesting that boys may be employed for the work of opening and closing hydrants instead of grown up persons.

8. Letter from Mr. Karmali Jivraj—Suggesting that the Municipality should prevent the slaughter of aged animals at the Bandra Slaughter House.

9. Letter from Mr. Pranlal Vardhaman Modi—Requesting the Corporation to support his application to the Government Forest Department for leasing to him a plot of land at Ghatkoper for running an agricultural farm.

10. Letter from Mr. Bhalchandra Vishnu and others—Regarding the condition of the Carrol Road locality.

11-13. Letters from Rao Bahadur Chunilal H. Setalvad, President of Public meetings of the Depressed Classes—Forwarding resolutions passed at the Meetings (11), requesting that free and compulsory primary education may be introduced amongst the Depressed Classes and that old chawls may not be demolished unless proper accommodation has been provided for the tenants, (12) thanking the Corporation for removing the bar on Halalkhores against travelling in tram cars and (13) protesting against Mr. Padbidri's speech against the national party in a meeting of the Clerk's Union and requesting the Schools Committee to select more students for the first year of the Training College.

14. Letter from Mr. S. L. Lopez—Suggesting that Chowpatty, Malabar Hill and Cumballa Hill localities may be developed for residential purposes.

15. Letter from the Honorary Secretary and Treasurer, Mothers' Day League—Applying for an annual contribution to the League.

16. Letter from Mr. K. D. Umrigar and others—Regarding insufficient supply of water at Taher Building, Powvala Street.

Resolutions of the Standing Committee—

17. Recommending sanction to Mr. K. R. Ranina, Municipal Storekeeper, being allowed to draw the maximum salary of his post, viz., Rs 450 *plus* 40 W. A. from 1st October 1922.

18. Recommending a grant of Rs. 13,260 to supplement the Budget provisions for Malaria Measures.

19. Recommending a grant of Rs. 3,610 for constructing an iron hoist at the Colaba Fire Brigade Station for drying fire hose.

20. Recommending that in reply to their letter, regarding the condition of De Lisle Road Cross Lane, Mr. Sha Lakhamsey Meghji and others be informed to the effect of the Commissioner's report.

21. Recommending that a letter from Mr. R. V. Gokhale and others, regarding the nuisance caused by the throwing of rubbish and remnants of food, etc., in the open chowk of Mahomedi Building, Sadashiv Street, Kandewadi, be forwarded to the Commissioner for disposal.

22. Recommending sanction to the advance of Rs. 3,000 already made for meeting the cost of an Electric Home Light Set purchased for lighting the Powaji Pumping Engine House being treated as a Budget grant.

23. Recommending a grant of Rs. 1,700 to meet an excess over the Budget provision for Public Lighting for the year 1921-22.

24. Recommending grants of Rs. 8,250 and Rs. 32,300 to supplement the Budget provisions for Road Watering.

25. Forwarding certain letters from the Municipal Auditors pointing out irregularities, etc., in the Municipal accounts together with the orders passed by the Standing Committee thereon.

26. Recommending that in reply to his letter regarding the condition of Mathew Road in D Ward and of the footpath thereat Mr. Vasanji Mulji be informed to the effect of the Commissioner's report.

27. Recommending that a letter from Mr. S. L. Lopez, inviting attention to the condition of roads, etc., in the City be recorded.

28. Recommending that a letter from Mr. T. R. Shroff and others, regarding the nuisance caused by the choking of drains by the *debris* of a fallen house in 2nd Bhoiwada Lane, Bhuleshwar, be forwarded to the Commissioner for necessary action.

29. Recommending that in reply to their letter, regarding the proposed acquisition of a portion of Chinoy's Chawl, Sun Mill Road, Lower Parel, Bai Jaijee Palonji Poonawalla and others be informed that the Corporation see no reason to interfere in the matter.

30. Recommending sanction to Captain Flanders, Superintendent of Markets, being allowed to draw salary at the stage of Rs. 800 per mensem in the grade of Rs. 700-50-1,000 in advance of due date and to the Personal Allowance of Rs. 100 per mensem drawn by him being discontinued with effect from the 1st October 1922.

31. Recommending sanction to the work of the construction of a cold Storage at the Arthur Crawford Markets being completed at an enhanced cost of Rs. 92,456.

32. Recommending that a letter from Mr. K. S. Shivlal and others, regarding insufficient supply of water at plot No. 22, Sankli Street, be forwarded to the Commissioner for necessary action.

33. Recommending a grant of Rs. 119 to meet the payment of two bills for the year 1920-21 preferred by the Municipal Solicitors against the Water Department.

34. Recommending that letters from Mr. Khandubhai Naranji Desai and others, Mr. D. S. Chitnis and others and Mr. Shivrataa Tewari and others, regarding insufficient supply of water at Fergusson Road, be forwarded to the Commissioner for necessary action.

35-36. Statements of (35) Budget transfers of amounts not exceeding Rs. 500 in each case sanctioned by the Standing Committee and (36) Budget transfers of amounts exceeding Rs 500 in each case sanctioned by the Standing Committee subject to the Corporation's orders.

Letters from the Commissioner—

37. Recommending approval to the Bombay Telephone Company's revised proposals in connection with the renewal of their agreements with the Municipality in respect of way-leave rental and the provision of telephones and fire alarms for the Municipality.

38. Regarding the question of increasing the water supply at Bandra Station.

39. Suggesting an amendment of the Municipal Act so as to provide that ice shall not be manufactured on any premises without a license.

40. Giving certain particulars about footpaths in the City.

41. Forwarding for approval plans and an estimate amounting to Rs. 1,94,600 for the work of constructing the Mastan Tank Primary School.

42. Reporting on a suggestion for the provision of temporary accommodation for bathers at the Back Bay for keeping their clothes, etc.

43. Recommending approval to an agreement being entered into with the owner of a property adjoining a public well at Gun Carriage Street in respect of certain illegal encroachments made by him on the land surrounding the well.

44. Requesting sanction to a Municipal well property at Champawady being sold by public auction.

45. Requesting sanction to a new road running eastwards from Pedder Road being named "Carmichael Road."

46. Requesting approval to the cost of the improvement of private streets of Elphinstone Bridge Low Level Road being declared by him to be improvement expenses and recovered by instalments.

47. Forwarding statements regarding the cleansing of sewers and drains in the City.

48. Forwarding a return showing the pressure in the water mains in the different localities of the City.

49. Forwarding Analytical and Bacteriological Reports on the Bombay water supplies.

50. Forwarding a return showing the quantity of wholesome food stuff destroyed by the Market Department.

51. Reporting on the question of the improvement of the roads and chawls at Lower Parel.

52. Forwarding a notification regarding the election of Mr. Hormusji Manekji Chowna as a Councillor.

53. Forwarding for approval plans and estimates for the construction of quarters for engine-drivers and fitters engaged on the Love Grove Pumping Station.

54. Requesting sanction to a piece of land at Borah Bazaar Street being sold to Mr. Ratansi Tricumdas.

55. Forwarding a draft amendment of the Municipal Act providing for a penalty being inflicted on owners or occupiers of houses taking an unauthorized water connection.

56. Reporting on a suggestion that the portion of the road near the Lalbag Market Chawl should be widened.

57. Requesting sanction to 12in. and 15in. stoneware pipe drains being provided in lieu of the existing open side drains in Narayan Dabholkar Road and in Narayan Dabholkar Cross Road.

58. Requesting approval to an estimate amounting to Rs. 63,848 of the cost of filling in Hasali Tank to the level of Lady Jamsedji Road in connection with the work of constructing the Dadar overbridge.

59. Suggesting that rules for the election of "Co-opted Councillors elected by transferable vote by the Councillors elected and appointed" as required by section 5 of the Municipal Act as amended by clause 3 of Bombay Act VI of 1922 may be framed.

60. Regarding certain questions connected with the public lighting of the City.

61. Regarding the action taken for the removal of refuse deposited opposite premises No. 90, Bhendi Bazar.

62. Requesting sanction to a strip of municipal land adjoining a municipal well at Mint Road being leased to Mr. Devidas Parbhudas Kothari.

63. Requesting approval to facilities being given to students of the Grant Medical College for the M.B. B.S. Examination to conduct labour cases in the Municipal Maternity Homes as an experimental measure.

64. Forwarding a joint report of the experts selected for further scrutinizing the scheme for the drainage and sewerage of Bombay on the memorandum by Mr. K. Burjorji Dady Burjor on the same subject.

65. Regarding acquisition of a property at Hornby Vellard, Worli.

66. Requesting sanction to permission being granted to the Development Directorate to lay a railway siding for the East Colaba Reclamation.

67. Requesting sanction to a plot of land being leased from the Port Trust for putting up a fire brigade sub-station at the new Cotton Depot, Mazagon.

68. Reporting that he has engaged an expert to be in charge of the plant and road work and for giving instructions to the Municipal staff in connection with the work of laying asphalt surfaces on some of the roads.

69. Suggesting that the Corporation may visit the Tansa Lake for inspecting the works now being carried on there in connection with the Tansa Completion Scheme.

70. Regarding the question of the extension of the Wadala Hindu Cemetery.

71. Requesting sanction to the revised estimates for the first instalment of the King Edward Memorial Hospital blocks.

Government Letters—

72. Forwarding copy of a report of a Committee appointed by Government to investigate the utility of re-inforced concrete for structures in Bombay City.

73. Regarding the question of the removal of patients from the Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy Hospital and the Sir Cowasji Jehangir Eye Hospital.

74. Appointing Mr. Meyer Nissim to be a Councillor *vice* Mr. D. S. Shellim, resigned.

75. Requesting sanction to the Executive Health Officer being appointed on a Sanitary Committee proposed to be appointed by Government for advising as to the sanitary precautions to be taken from time to time until the Back Bay Reclamation Works are completed.

76. Bombay Improvement Trust Letter—Forwarding excerpts from the Trustees' proceedings.

77. Letter from the Honorary Secretary, Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute—Forwarding copies of the Annual Report of the Institute for the year 1921-22.

78. Letter from the Municipal Auditors—Forwarding copies of their letters, regarding irregularities, etc., in Municipal Accounts.

79. Letter from Mrs. Turner.—Thanking the Corporation for their resolution on the death of her husband, the late Dr. J. A. Turner

80. Memorandum from Dr. Nadirshaw H. E. Sukhia.—Forwarding a leaflet entitled "the beginning of a new era of travel on the G. I. P. Railway" with his observations thereon.

81. Letter from Mr. Jehangir Bomanji Petit.—Applying for leave of absence from the meetings of the Corporation.

82. Letter from Mr. K. M. Kurlekar.—Applying on behalf of Mr. N. M. Joshi for leave of absence from the meetings of the Corporation.

83. Memorandum from the Municipal Secretary.—Submitting a statement of Outstanding Committees of the Corporation.

Notices of motions—

84. From Dr. Dinsha Bamanji Pestanji Master.—For requesting the Commissioner to provide four hand-pumps on the well at the end of the Cruickshank Road on the Maidan.

85-87. From Dr. Accacio G. Viegas.—(85). For obtaining from the Commissioner a list of latrines and urinals in the vicinity of places of worship in the City, and a report as to which of these could be shifted to other sites and the cost of shifting in each case (86). For expressing opinion that the urinal in the Cathedral Street vicinity of the Roman Catholic Cathedral ought to be removed or converted it into an underground urinal and (87). For requesting the Commissioner to represent to the City Improvement Trust the urgent necessity of making an Improvement Scheme for the Ramathipura District and of taking steps to provide housing accommodation for the poorer classes preferentially those displaced by the Scheme.

88. From Mr. Jamnadas M. Mehta, seconded by Rao Bahadur A. K. Pai.—For suggesting to Government that the polling day at the next Municipal General Elections should be declared a public holiday.

89—90. From Dr. Accacio G. Viegas.—(89). For requesting the Commissioner to reserve at least two stipends every year for backward classes in connection with the Scheme for training Indian Midwives in Municipal Maternity Homes and (90). For expressing opinion that the Sanitorium at Bhoiwada and the Princes Street Tuberculosis Dispensary should be named after the late Dr. J. A. Turner.

91. From Mr. B. G. Parelkar.—For requesting the Commissioner to invite the attention of the Commissioner of Police to the dacoities committed at Naigaum Cross Road, and at Haji Bunder, Sewri, and to the robberies frequently committed in the northern portion of the Island and to inform the Corporation of the action taken by that officer in the matter.

92. From Dr. Dinsha Bomanji Pestanji Master.—For obtaining a report from the Commissioner regarding the pollution of the localities round about Bapty Road and Tardeo owing to the location of the Kutchra Depot and the existence of an open drain in those localities, etc.

93. From Mr. Jehangir B. Baman-Behram, seconded by Mr. R. D. Hughes.—For obtaining a report as to the desirability of obtaining power to control the profession of farriers.

94. From Mr. Hosseinbhoy A. Lalljee, seconded by Dr. Nadirshaw H. E. Sukhia.—For expressing regret at the death of Dr. Abdul Satar Ayub Gaya.

95—96. From Mr. Hoosenally M. Rahimtoola.—(95). For requesting the Commissioner to make the area allotted as a recreation ground behind the Municipal School on the reclaimed Babula Tank available for public use early and (96) for obtaining a report as to whether recreation grounds have been provided by the Improvement Trust in their Nowroji Hill and Memonwada Schemes

97. From Dr. Accacio G. Viegas.—For requesting the Commissioner to take steps for the introduction of tube railways in the City.

98. Reports of a Committee of the Corporation.—Regarding the question of taking over by the Municipality of the League for Combating Venereal Diseases.

Schools Committee's Letters—

99. Forwarding excerpts from the proceedings of the Committee's meeting.

100. Recommending that Mr. Shamrao N. Chachad, Chief Clerk of the Committee's office, be granted an extension of service for one year.

101. Regarding the question of the maintenance of public libraries by the Municipality.

102. Regarding proposals for a revised system of Grants-in-Aid to Primary Schools in Bombay City.

By order of the President,
A. A. MOULVI,
Municipal Secretary.

Municipal Corporation Office,
Bombay, 25th November, 1922.

B. B. & C. I. RAILWAY.

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Moghalpura.

Office of the Controller of Stores,
N. W. Ry., Moghalpura,
Dated 22-11-22
C14956

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Moghalpura.

Office of the Controller of Stores,
N. W. Railway, Moghalpura,
Dated 22-11-22.
C14957

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

THE BOMBAY CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETY. LTD.

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J. L. MEHTA.
Hon. Secretary.

85 Apollo Street,
Fort, Bombay.

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NOTICE.

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LOST OR MISLAID.

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For the Gaekwar Industrials Ltd.,
L. P. DESAI,
Secretary.

Baroda, date, 24th Nov. 1922.

Name of Shareholder.	Allotment Letter.	No. of shares.
1. Amratlal Dahyabhai	1707	20
2. Jamnadas Kalidas Modi	1467	5
3. Vyas Mulji Harishanker	575	1
4. Gajanan Gangadhar Shiledar	Split ticket No. 275	5
5. Gaya Bihari	Split ticket No. 274	2

C14959

THE SHOLAPOOR SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANY LIMITED

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that an ad interim Dividend for the six months ended 30th September, 1922, at the rate of Rupees 600 per Whole and Rupees 300 per Half Share, free of Income Tax, will be paid at the Registered Office of the Company, Sudama House, Sprott Road, Ballard Estate, on and after THURSDAY, the 7th day of December, 1922, between the hours of 12 noon and 3 p.m. (B. T.), to those Shareholders whose names will have stood on the Register of the Company on the 2nd December, 1922.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY the 4th December to WEDNESDAY the 13th December, 1922, both days inclusive.

Dividend Warrants will be posted in due course to the Registered addresses of Shareholders. Change of address, if any, should be notified without delay on the receipt of this notice.

By Order of the Board,
MORARJEE GOCULDAS & CO.,
Agents, The Sholapoor S. & W. Co., Ltd.

46, Tamarind Lane, Fort, Bombay,
24th November, 1922.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

E 5206. 20-11-22.
No. 5238. 24-11-22.

GEORGE V, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration of the property and credits of DEVSI DESAR, of Bombay Bania Hindu Inhabitant, merchant, a widower, residing at Bhat Bazaar, Mandvi, outside the Fort of Bombay.....Deceased.

PASSOO DEVSI, of Bombay Bania Hindu Inhabitant, merchant, residing at Bhat Bazaar, Mandvi, outside the Fort of Bombay .....Petitioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings, if they think fit, before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir NORMAN CRANSTOUN MACLEOD, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid this seventeenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two and in the thirteenth year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.) W. J. HOWARD.
for Registrar.

(Sd.) W. J. HOWARD,

The 17th day of November, 1922.

Messrs. RAGHAVAYYA NAGINDAS & CO.,
Petitioner's Attorneys.

C14970

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Messrs. JAMNADAS NARAYANDAS MOTIWALLA, BHAGWANDAS NARAYANDAS MOTIWALLA, DAMODARDAS DEVIDAS MOTIWALLA, MANECKLAL DEVIDAS MOTIWALLA, and MANGALDAS NAGINDAS MOTIWALLA, the Trustees of the Trust Fund of the Temple of Shri Laxminarayan of Seth Kalliandas Kirparam have contracted to sell to our clients the undermentioned property described in the Schedule hereunder written.

Any person having any claim or interest by way of sale, mortgage, gift, inheritance, lease, lien, share or otherwise howsoever in the said property or any part thereof is hereby requested to give notice thereof in writing to the undersigned at their office in the Old Secretariat, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, after which period the sale will be completed without regard to any claim of which notice has not been received.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO:

All that piece or parcel of Fazandari land or ground together with messuage tenement and building standing thereon situate lying and being at Dady Seth Agiary Street, containing by admeasurement 210 square yards and bounded on the north by the Anantwadi Gully, on the South by the property of Wasudeo Bapuji and a private passage, on the East formerly by the property of Gajanan Moreshwar and now by the property of Haridas Parmanandas and others and on West by the property of Wasudeo Bapuji bearing Collector's Old No. 375 New No. 2250, Old Survey No. 261 and New Survey No. 398 and assessed by the Municipality of Bombay under C Ward No. 4162 and Street No. 1.

Dated this 22nd day of November 1922.

LITTLE & CO.,
Attorneys for the Purchasers.

C14968

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JUDISDICTION.
Suit No. 4772 of 1922.
SHORT CAUSE.

Plaint filed the 17th day of October 1922.

Summons to answer Plaint under section 27, O. V. rr. 1, 5, 7 and 8 and O. VIII, r. 9 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

(1) MORARJI KESHOWJI and (2) TULSIDAS KESHAVJI, both of Bombay Hindu Luvana Inhabitants, Merchants and Commission Agents, residing at Cathedral Street, outside the Fort of Bombay .....Plaintiffs.

Vs.

(1) VAIDYA TRIBUCKLAL JATASHANKER, (2) BHAGWANJI NEMCHAND, (3) KOOVERJI VASANJI (4) KALLIANJI BHIKHA Alias PARMANAND, (5) JADAVJI JAMNADAS and (6) DWARKADAS VIRCHAND RANGWALLA, all of Bombay Hindu Inhabitants, residing at Cathedral Street, outside the Fort of Bombay .....Defendants.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, Greeting: WHEREAS the abovenamed Plaintiffs have filed a plaint in this Court against you the above-named defendants whereof the following is a concise statement, viz.:—

The plaintiffs pray that the 1st defendant may be ordered to forthwith hand over to them vacant possession of rooms No. 3 and 4 on the ground floor of the premises mentioned in the plaint herein that the rent payable by the first defendant may be apportioned between the said rooms Nos. 3 and 4 on the ground floor and the three rooms on the third floor in his occupation that in the event of the 1st defendant refusing to allow the rent to be apportioned and declining to continue in occupation of the three rooms on the third floor he may be ordered to forthwith hand over to the plaintiff vacant possession of the whole portion of the said premises in his occupation that the 2nd 3rd 4th and 5th defendants may be ordered to forthwith hand over to the plaintiffs vacant possession of the respective portions of the said premises in their occupation as mentioned in the plaint that the 1st defendant may be ordered to pay to the plaintiffs Rs. 128 as rent for the months of Posh and Maha Samvat 1978 (30th December 1921, to 26th February 1922), and further compensation for the use and occupation at the rate of 64 per Gujrati month from Fagan Sud 1st Samvat year 1978 (27th February 1922), till such time as he hands over to the plaintiffs vacant possession of the said premises in his occupation that the 2nd and 4th defendants may be ordered to pay compensation for use and occupation at the rate of Rs. 7-4 and Rs. 7 respectively per Gujrati month from Shravan Sud 1st Samvat year 1978 (25th July 1922), till such time as they hand over to the plaintiffs vacant possession of the premises in their respective occupation that the 3rd defendant may be ordered to pay Rs. 14 as rent for the months of Jeth and Ashad Samvat year 1978 (27th May 1922, to 24th July 1922), and further compensation for use and occupation at the rate of Rs. 7 per month from Shravan Sud 1st Samvat 1978 (25th July 1922) till such time as he hands over to the plaintiffs vacant possession of the premises in occupation that the 5th defendant may be ordered to pay to the plaintiffs Rs. 252 being amount of rent at the rate of Rs. 36 per Gujrati month from Shravan Sud 1st Samvat year 1977 (4th August 1921) to Maha Vad 30th Samvat year 1978 (26th February 1922) and further compensation for use occupation at the rate aforesaid from Fagan Sud 1st Samvat year 1976 (27th February 1922) till such time as he hands over to the plaintiffs vacant possession of the premises in his occupation and for costs and for further and other relief.

You are hereby summoned to appear in this Court on the 4th day of December 1922 at quarter past eleven o'clock standard time in the forenoon, in person or by an Advocate duly instructed by an Attorney of this Court and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit or who shall be accompanied by, some other person able to answer all such questions to answer the abovenamed Plaintiff and as the day fixed for your appearance is appointed for the final disposal of the suit, you must produce all your witnesses on that day, and you are hereby required to take notice that in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned the suit will be heard and determined in your absence; and you will bring with you (or send by your Attorney) any document in your possession or power containing evidence relating to the merits of the Plaintiffs' case or upon which you intend to rely in support of your case.

Witness Sir NORMAN CRANSTOUN MACLEOD, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay, aforesaid this 31st day of October, 1922.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.) W. J. HOWARD,
for Prothonotary

(Sd.) W. J. HOWARD,

The 31st day of October, 1922.

Messrs. EDGELOW GULABCHAND WADIA AND CO.
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

SHETH DEVKARAN MULJI, MOHANLAL CHUNILAL and CHIMANLAL NATHUBHAI were for some time past doing business in Mill Stores and also as General Importers at 88, Apollo Street, within the Fort of Bombay and at Ahmedabad under the name and style of Messrs. Mangaldas Chimanlal and Co. The said firm has been dissolved as and from this date. The said business has been continued by Chimanlal Nathubhai under the same name. The retiring partners Devkaran Mulji and Mohanlal Chunilal have nothing to do with the said new business and the liabilities arising therefrom or therein.

MOTICHAND AND DEVIDAS,
Attorneys for Sheth Devkaran Mulji and Mohanlal Chunilal and Chimanlal Nathubhai partners of the dissolved firm of Messrs. Mangaldas Chimanlal and Company.

Bombay, Nanabhoy Lane,
24th November, 1922.

C14967

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Suit No. 733 of 1913.

KRISHNAJI ANANT JOSHI ..... Plaintiff

vs.

SARDAR MANAJI COOVERJI RAJE SHIRKE and others ..... Defendants.

PURSUANT to the Decree Absolute for sale dated the 17th day of June, 1918, Order dated 10th day of February, 1919, and Judges Order dated 8th of April, 1920, and 21st January, 1921, made in the above suit the following immoveable property will be sold by Public Auction by the Commissioner of this Honourable Court at his Office in the Court House on MONDAY, the 27th day of November, 1922, at the hour of five o'clock in the afternoon (Standard Time).

PARTICULARS.

The undivided half share of the 1st defendant Sirdar Manaji Cooverji Raje Shirke in all that piece or parcel of land or ground admeasuring 125 square yards or thereabouts together with the messuage, tenement and dwelling house standing thereon and also in all the messuage, tenement or dwelling house consisting of three floors built over the land and building adjoining the said piece or parcel of land and belonging to the Agiary of the late Cursetji Maneckji, but with the exception of the following rooms, viz., two rooms on the 1st floor admeasuring 26 2/9 and 18 2/3 square yards respectively and one loft, consisting of two rooms Nos. 1 and 2, situate between the ground floor and the 1st floor and together, admeasuring about 51 square yards and forming part of the premises belonging to the said Agiary, all which or parcel of land is situate in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, and containing by admeasurement 502 square yards or thereabouts including the land belonging to the said Agiary and admeasuring 377 square yards or thereabouts and is assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 52, New No. 442, Old Survey Nos. 662, 871, 695, 699 and New Survey Nos. 2/8887, 2/8888, 2/8889, and by the Collector of Municipal Assessment under A Ward No. 2341 and Street Nos. 39, 41, 43, and is bounded as follows: that is to say, on or towards the North by the property of Peroz-Lai, daughter of the late Sir Jamshedji Jejibhoy, 1st Baronet, on or towards the East partly by a Gully and partly by the house of the said Perozbai and on or towards the West partly by Hornby Road and partly by Raghunath Dadaji Street and on or towards the South by the old Police Court Lane.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, application should be made at the office of the said Commissioner or at the office of Messrs. EDGELOW GULABCHAND WADIA & CO., Attorneys for the 8, 8(a) and 8(b) defendants abovenamed, at No. 65, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay.

Dated this 11th day of October, 1922.

(Sd.) R. B. PATEL,
Ag. Commissioner.

C14659

TENDERS.

BOMBAY IMPROVEMENT TRUST

TENDERS ARE INVITED for the following earth-works on the Island.

A. Filling in by Contractor's own light railway.
B. Filling in by Improvement Trust's broad gauge railway.
C. Filling in by cart.

The successful contractor will have to lodge a cash security deposit of Rs. 1,000 with this Office and a deduction of 10 per cent will be made every month from the contractor's Bill and retained by the Board to provide security against failure to carry out the work. The deposit and the amounts so deducted shall be paid to the contractor as soon as he has made good any shrinkage to the satisfaction of the Trust Engineer.

Further particulars and conditions can be obtained from the undersigned on work office, near Sion Station, G. I. P. Railway any morning between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.

(Sd.) J. REID-SMITH, A. M. Inst. C. E.
Senior Assistant Engineer,
In Charge Scheme 56.

C14962

AUCTION SALE

CRAWFORD & CO

AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION AGENTS.

122, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay.
Telephone No. 521.

SALE TO-DAY AT 2-30 P.M. (S. T.).

Auction Sale of 10 cases of Liquors and the outstandings amounting to Rs. 4,641-6-8 of Messrs. Phillips and Co., Ltd. (in voluntary liquidation).

By the order of the Liquidators of Messrs. Phillips and Co., Ltd. (in voluntary liquidation), Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction THIS DAY, MONDAY, the 27th instant, at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), at their Rooms No. 122, Apollo Street, Fort, the following:—

On account and at the risk of Messrs. H. S. Puri and Sons of Calcutta:—

10 cases of Liquors such as Prunelle, Apricot, Brandy, Curacao, Grapes, Superieures, St. Julien and Lumay's Tonic Bitters.

The said 10 cases are of Messrs. H. S. Puri and Sons of Calcutta.

And the right of collecting outstandings amounting to Rs. 4,641-6-8 due to Messrs. Phillips and Co., Ltd (in voluntary liquidation).

CRAWFORD & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 27th November, 1922.

AUCTION SALE.

MENESSE & CO.

AUCTIONEERS.
No. 35. Hummam Street, Fort.
Telephone No. 4083.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
SURPLUS GOVERNMENT STORES.

Auction Sale of Engineering and Miscellaneous Stores such as Bolts and Nuts, Firebars, C. I. Scraps, W. I. Scrap, Marine Boilers Sledge Hammers, Dogspikes, Fishplates, Horseshoes and Nails, Cart Wheels, Crab Winches, Jacks, Cast Steel Bars Shackles, Lift and Force Pumps, Rubber Hosepipe, Coir and Manilla Rope, Miscellaneous Leather Stores, Mess Tins, Cleats, Wall Plugs and Switches and Miscellaneous Hand Tolls, etc., etc.

Under instructions from the Controller (Sales) Surplus Government Stores, Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by Public Auction on WEDNESDAY, the 6th December, 1922, and following days at 2 p.m. (S. T.), at the Government Stores, Hajee Bunder, Sewree, the abovenamed goods.

A deposit of 50 per cent. in cash will be required on the lots being knocked down.

The sale is subject to conditions which will be posted and can be seen at the office of the Controller (Sales) Surplus Government Stores, Amrut Building, Ballard Pier, at the Surplus Government Stores Depot, Haji Bunder, Sewree, and which will be read out at the commencement of the Auction Sale.

AUCTION SALE OF 72 SOLID MOTOR LORRY TYRES.

Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by Public Auction on THURSDAY, the 30th November, 1922, at 3-30 p.m. (S. T.), at their Rooms, 35, Humum Street, Fort, by order of the Office concerned, the following goods:—

72 Solid Motor Lorry Tyres of different sizes, manufactured by Messrs. Charles Mackintosh and Co., Manchester.

MENESSE & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 27th November, 1922.

BENNETT & CO.

129, Apollo Street, Fort.

AUCTION SALE OF STATIONERY SHOP AT NAGDEVI STREET, WITH THE RIGHT OF OCCUPANCY AND THE GOODWILL.

Under instructions from N. H. Moos, Esq., Receiver in Suit No. 4171 of 1922 (Dhanbai vs. Bhaichand), Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will, THIS DAY MONDAY the 27th inst., sell by Public Auction at 5 p.m. (S.T.) at Nagdevi St., the stationery shop herein together with its stock-in-trade, right of occupancy of the shop and the goodwill.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

AUCTION SALE OF WHITE JAVA SUGAR.

Under instructions from Messrs. E. D. Sassoon and Co., Ltd., Messrs. BENNETT & Co. will This Day MONDAY the 27th inst. sell by Public Auction at 3-30 p.m. (S. T.), at Khand Bazar at the shop of Mr. Velji Damji, on account and risk of Mr. Meghji Permanand:—

1252 Bags White Java Sugar ex. S. S. "Hatkhola."

The above bags are lying at the B. P. T. Bonded Warehouse.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

AUCTION SALE OF IRON AND BRASS GOODS, MACHINERY, ETC.

Under instructions from N. H. Moos, Esq., Receiver in Suit No. 4553 of 1922 (Goramia vs. Master), Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will, on THURSDAY, the 30th instant, sell by Public Auction at their Rooms at 120, Apollo Street, at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), one large lot of Iron goods consisting of Brass assorted valves, Pipe screwing machine, Gearing vice, etc., etc.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

BENNETT & CO.,

Bombay, 27th November, 1922.

SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO.

Auctioneers and Commission Agents
(123 Medows Street, Fort, Bombay).

WEEKLY SALE.

Messrs. SORABJEE COWASJEE and Co. will, on WEDNESDAY, the 29th instant, sell by Public Auction at their Sale Rooms, the following:—

SALE AT 4 P.M. (S. T.).

By order of the office concerned and on account and at the risk of the following:—

On account and at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, Mr. Kamalsey Purbhudas of Jakaria Musjid:—

M N 0053 A Y 289—3 cases blue border white tweed, 30in., No. 300.
M N 0052 A Y 292—3 cases blue border white tweed, 30in., No. 300.
M N 0054 A Y 293—3 cases blue border white tweed, 30in., No. 300.
M N 0056 A Y 291—3 cases blue border white tweed, 32in., No. 400.
tweed, 32in., No. 400.
M N 0055 A Y 294—3 cases blue border white tweed, 32in., No. 400.
M N 0057 A Y 295—3 cases blue border white tweed, 32in., No. 400.

On account and at the risk of the defaulting Indentor Mr. Tricumdas Mathuradas of Govind Gulley, Mulji Jaitha Market,

M N 0026 W T S 1/2—2 cases Cotton Trousering 46in, each case 20 pieces.

SALE AT 3 P.M. (S. T.).

By order of the concerned and on account and at the risk of the concerned:—

17 cases each 100 pieces Chudri No. 525, 44in. by 27 yards piece.

By order of Mr. Mahomedalli Vulleybhoy and on account and at the risk of Messrs. Nazeralli Samsoodin, Jiwajee Suloobhai, Javi and Co., and Ebhrahimji Kadibhoy.

32 drums acetone oil each about 70 gallons.

Drums can be seen at the compound of Shroffwadi, Mount Road, Mazagaon, before the day of sale.

By order of the Bank concerned and on account and at the risk of Mr. Gulamalli Hassanjee.

8226 Bombay M 3/4—2 cases coloured duck, 28/29in.

By order of the bank concerned:—

2 cases razor strops.
1 case ladies and children straw hats.

SORABJI COWASJEE & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 27th November, 1922.

MISTRY & CO.

AUCTIONEERS.
9, Dean Lane, Fort, Bombay.
Telephone No. 5921.

BONA-FIDE SALE.

AUCTION SALE OF OFFICE AND SHOW-ROOM FURNITURE, CARPETS, SHOW CASES, BRASSWARE, TYPEWRITER, SIGN-BOARDS, ETC.

On TUESDAY, the 28th November, 1922, Messrs. MISTRY & CO., are instructed to sell by Public Auction at 3 p.m. (S. T.) Hornby Road opposite Japanese Museum stock-in-trade of the shop known as the Kashmere Stores, comprising of show-coses, sliding door cases, writing tables, carpets, brassware, Japaneseware, Rex Visible Typewriter, sign-boards, etc., etc.

Property is open to view.

MISTRY & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 20th November, 1922.

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Under Public Patronage.

LALITKALA DARSHA SANGIT NATAK MANDALI

Founded by
Late Mr. KESHAVRAO BHONSLE
will stage at
GRANT ROAD, BOMBAY THEATRE.

Benefit performance in aid of Prarthana Samaj Night Schools.

on

Wednesday 29th November 1922 at 8-30 p. m. (S. T.)
HACH-MULACHA-BAP.

No complimentary tickets will be allowed fo this play.

Saturday 2nd December 1922 at 8-30 p. m. (S. T.)
VIDYAHARAN.

Cast of Characters:—
Shukracharya—Mr. Pendharkar, Kach—Mr. Chapekar, Devayani—Master Shantaram

Sunday 3rd December 1922 at 3 p.m. (.S.T.)
SATTECHE-GULAM.

Proprietors.

UNDER THE KIND PATRONAGE
OF H. H. THE
MAHARAJA GAEKWAD
OF BARODA

Gandharv Natak Mandali

Wednesday 29th November 1922
(Night 8 p. m.)
SWAYAVAR

Saturday 2nd December 1922
(8 p. m.) Night
MRUCCHAKATIK

Sunday 3rd December 1922 (2-30 p. m.) Noon
MANAPAMAN

AMUSEMENTS.

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TO-DAY AT 6-30 p. m.

A Screen Romance of Great Power

"KILDARE OF STORM"

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TO-NIGHT AT 9-30 p. m.

R. Courteneidge & W. Holloway's London Co.

"THE BIRD OF PARADISE"

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Next Thursday at 6-30 p. m.

Farewell Recital by

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The World famous Russian Composer—Pianist

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TO-DAY 6-30, 8-15 and 10 p. m.

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AUCTION SALE.

NUSSERWANJI SORABJI & CO.'S SALE.

Auction Sale of unserviceable stores advertised for sale on the 13th November, 1922, has been POSTPONED to 27th November, 1922 at 2-30 p.m. when all stores mentioned in former notification will be sold.

Further under instructions from The Ordnance Officer I/c Ordnance Depot Bombay the following stores will be sold at 11 a.m. on the premises of the said Depot on TUESDAY the 28th November 1922 behind Town Hall, Fort, Bombay.

Brass, copper and other metals, blankets, doosootie, sewing machines, telephones and other stores.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to

NUSSERWANJI SORABJI & Co.,
Government Auctioneers.

71 Frere Road, Moghul House, Fort, Bombay.

MEHTA & CO.

AUCTIONEERS TO THE GOVERNMENT AND G. I. P. RAILWAY.

55 Meadows Street Fort, Bombay.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS STORES.

Auction sale of Khakhi Kullas, Flannel Drawers Kurtas Serge, Jackets, Mosquito netting, Sewing Cotton, Kitbags, Coats, Fur, Waist-coats, Combination for Ladies, Cuffs, Vests for Ladies, Leather Gloves, Capes Mackintosh with hood, Heavy woollen Trousers, Jackets Light woollen, Shoes Munda, Helmets, Pith Hats, Horse Rugs, Frocks, Cardigan Jackets Sashes Anti Gas, Cotton Drawers Blouses serge, Bunting blue-black, Flanellete Blue Grey, Wh. Jaconette Bateste Cloth, Caps, Comforters, Dungri Cloth Pillow Cases, Pillow Slips, Pillow covers, Bed Sheets, Brushes, Mattress cases, Navy Canvas Gunny Canvas, English Canvas, Mattresses wh. Cocoanut coir, Webbing, Dammering paper, Flax Thread, House-wives, Safety Pins, Canvas Sheets, Calico Dammered, warm Coats, flowers, etc., etc.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, the 27th November, 1922, and the following days daily at 10-30 a.m., Messrs. MEHTA & CO., will sell by Public Auction the above mentioned goods by order of the Controller (Sales) at the Colaba Depot (old army clothing Factory). Sales are subject to certain conditions obtainable at the Auctioneers or the Controller (Sales) and which will be read before the commencement of the Auction sale.

For inspection of Goods apply to Depot officer or the Auctioneers.

MEHTA & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 27th November, 1922.

COMMERCIAL.

CABLE QUOTATIONS.

OPENING TONE AND PRICES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

Liverpool, Nov. 24th

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES.

Months.	To-day's Price.
Nov.	—
Dec	—
Jan.	14 08+ 8
Feb.	14 01+ 4
Mar.	13 88+ 6
April	—
May	13 74 + 7
June	—
July	13 56 + 9
Aug.	—
Sept.	13 06+ 11
Oct.	12 82 10
Egyptians Dec	17 60
all	17 60
March	17 80
July	1810

AMERICAN COTTON MARKET.

New York, Nov. 25th

		To-days Prices.
Futures at New York,	Dec.	25 52+ .4
	Jan.	25 58+ .2
	Mar.	25 70+ .0
	May	25 57+ .8

Liverpool, Nov. 24th

Cotton Del. M.U. G.O.C. Liverpool	Jan.	—
	Mar.	—
	May	—
	July	—

London, Nov. 25th

Telegraphic Transfers 1/4 Firm.

Bar Gold.

Bar Silver Spot 32 7/16 unsettled.

BOMBAY MARKETS.

COTTON.

BOMBAY, Nov. 25.

To-day Reuter reported 18 points higher in New York futures. The Marwari Bazar opened this morning for F. G. M. G. Broach April/May at Rs. 468 and advanced steadily to Rs. 473¾ on buying by offices and Japanese Houses. From this level the prices eased to Rs. 471¼ on selling by Cutcha Candi brokers and again advanced to Rs. 473¾ on buying by offices; the rate at 4 p.m. ruled Rs. 473. The Bazar finally closed at Rs. 472. At Colaba the market opened at Rs. 472 and closed at Rs. 473. Fine M. G. Oomra December/January opened at Rs. 417 and going down by a rupee, advanced to Rs. 420½ on Offices and Japanese buying. The rate then declined to Rs. 421 in sympathy with the decline in Broach the rate at 4 p.m. ruled Rs. 422½; whilst Oomra March opened at Rs. 4.20 and going down by a rupee and half, advanced to Rs. 422½ on offices buying, the rate then declined to Rs. 421 in sympathy with the decline in Broach, and at 4 p.m. was quoted Rs. 422½. F. G. M. G. Bengal December/January was Rs. 340 and March Rs. 348 nominal.

Our market for ready cotton was steady yesterday with a fair demand from Exporters and Mills and about 3,000 bales are reported to have changed hands.

BOMBAY EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

Bombay, Nov. 25th

	Market Rates.
Bank Telegraphic	1-3-29/32
Bank Demand	1-3-29/32
Doc. Acceptance 3 m/s	1-4 1/8
Fcs. Demand	405
American Dollars	338
Honkong Dollars	180
Shanghai	241
Japan	164-1/2
Singapore	177-1-2

EAST INDIA COTTON ASSOCIATION.

WEEKLY REPORT.

Bombay, Nov. 24.

Description.	Spot prices. 23-11-22.	16-11-22.
Bengals F. G.	Not quoted.	350
S/Punjab F. G.	......	350
Broach F. G.	......	450
Oomras Fine	......	405
C. P. No. 1	......	435
C. P. No. 2	......	420
Southerns G.	......	505
Hedge Contracts.	Futures. 23-11-22.	16-11-22.
Bengals Dec/Jan	333	350
" March	338	......
Broach April/May	462	485
Oomra F. Dec/Jan	409	436
" March	412	433

Receipts for the week ending 23rd November, 1922, and corresponding period last year.

	Bales. 1922.	Bales. 1921.
Bengals	11,274	6,099
Oomras	27,800	56,759
Dholleras	4,562	798
Broach	553	15
Southerns	295	1,378
Persians	79	101
Americans	......	734
Egyptians	......	......
Other sorts	620	5,568
Total	45,183	71,452

Exports for the week ending 23rd November, 1922.

	Bales.
Europe	1,809
China	1,300
Japan	25,740
Coast Ports	......
Total	28,849
Afloat in harbour Europe	10,390
China, Japan and Coast Ports	27,541
Total	37,931

Receipts from 1st September, 1922, to 23rd November, 1922, and corresponding period in last 4 years.

1922-23.	1921-22.	1920-21.	1919-20	1918-19.
1,43,367	4,33,742	2,03,057	2,56,658	2,03,937

Exports from 1st September, 1922, to 23rd November, 1922, and corresponding period in last 4 years.

Europe—1922-23: 1,19,193; 1921-22: 1,71,326; 1920-21: 1,45,996; 1919-20: 1,39,355; 1918-19: 42,099.

China—1922-23: 5,135; 1921-22: 41.022; 1920-21: 20,302; 1919-20: 15,538; 1918-19: 27.

Japan—1922-23: 1,82,933; 1921-22: 2,30,032; 1920-21: 56,080; 1919-20: 2,72,551; 1918-19: 42,145.

Coast Ports—1922-23: 7,295; 1921-22: 3,979; 1920-21: 3,089; 1919-20: 1,811; 1918-19: 988.

Total—1922-23: 3,14,556; 1921-22: 4,46,359; 1920-21: 2,25,467; 1919-20: 4,29,255; 1918-19: 85,259.

	Bales.
Total exports by rail from 1st September, 1922, to 23rd November, 1922 ...	34,393
Estimated stock of raw cotton held by exporters, dealers and mills in Bombay on 23rd November, 1922	4,95,295

COTTON STATISTICS.

WEEKLY REPORT.

Bombay, Nov. 24th.

	Year. 1922-23. Bs.	Year. 1921-22. Bs.
Receipts for the week ending 23rd Nov. 1922	45,183	71,452
Receipts from 1st Sept. 1922 to 23rd Nov. 1922	1,43,367	4,33,742
Shipments for the week ending 23rd Nov. 1922 Europe	1,809	—
China, Japan and Coast Ports	27,040	—
Total	28,849	..
Afloat in Harbour Europe	10,390	..
China, Japan and Coast Ports	27,541	..
Total shipments from 1st Sept. 1922 to 23rd Nov. 1922		
Europe	1,19,193	1,71,326
China, Japan and Coast Ports	1,95,363	2,75,033
Total	3,14,556	4,46,359
Total Exports by Rail from 1st Sept. 1921 to 23rd Nov. 1922.	.. 34,395 Bales.	
Balance stock of cotton held by Exporters, dealers and mills in Bombay on 23rd Nov. 1922		4,95,293

QUOTATIONS OF LOCAL MILL CLOTHS.

(THROUGH THE HINDUSTANI NATIVE MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION.)

Bombay Nov. 26th

	Rs.	a.	p.
Khaddi:—			
Textile	1	2	0
E. D. Sassoon	1	1	3
Tata	—		
Elphinstone	1	1	0
Longcloth (Full weight) 34/40 inches:—			
Rachael per lb.	—		
Standard per lb.	1	8	3
Century per lb	1	8	6
Hindustan per lb.	1	9	6
Vasuibhai per lb	1	9	6
Textile per lb.	1	9	0
Phoenix	1	8	3
Pearl	1	9	0
Manekji (Gay mukh)	1	7	0
Elphinstone (Batti)	1	10	0
Jacob (Four minars)	1	9	6
Longcloth (Light weight) No. 5202/5203:—			
Rachael per lb.	1	9	6
Swan (luxy) per lb.	1	8	6
Pearl per lb.	1	9	0
E. D. Sassoon per lb.	1	9	0
Longcloth X quality:—			
Rachael per lb.	1	9	9
Fazulbhai per lb.	1	10	0
Kohinoor per lb	1	9	6
Pearl per lb.	1	9	0
Longcloth Satin Calendes, 34/40 inches:—			
Textile (Hand) per lb.	1	8	0
Spring (Merchant) per lb.	1	8	0
Century (Bugle) per lb.	1	7	0
Zenith (Drum) per lb.	—		
E. D. Sassoon (Gun) per lb.	1	7	0
Jacob Rajkumar per lb.	1	8	0
Salita—			
Century per lb.	1	7	9
Spring (Merchant) per lb.	1	9	3
Grey Drill, Century Mill:—			
No. 1125 per piece	15	0	0
No. 125½ per piece	14	0	0
Dhooties:—7, 8 and 9 yards:—			
Spring (Balance) per lb.	1	10	6
Textile (Bicycle) per lb.	1	10	6
Dhooties:—10 yards:—			
Spring (Balance) per lb	1	11	6
Textile (Bicycle) per lb.	1	11	0
Check 5 lbs. Grey Drills:—			
Standard per piece	6	12	0
Phoenix per piece	6	12	0
Swan Fintay per piece	6	12	0
Hindustan per lb.	7	1	0
Check 5½ lbs. Grey Drills:—			
Textile per piece	7	2	0
Pearl per piece	7	8	0
Bleached Check:—			
Textile per piece	—		
Kasturchand per piece	8	11	0
Bombay United per piece	8	6	0
Black Check 5 lbs:—			
Textile per piece	9	10	0
Spring per piece	8	10	0
E. D. Rachael	8	2	0

"NEEMBRA"

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Contains the well-known medical properties of "NEEM" with various Wholesome Indian Drugs and Aromatics.

This preparation acts specially on the diseases of the Chest and Lungs. It is a great boon to the consumptives and the weak-chested. By its use the low fever and the troublesome cough cease, and the patient experiences relief and is gradually restored to perfect health. The taste of the Neem Extract is so well disguised as to suit even a very fastidious palate.

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RECEIPTS.

The following are the receipts of Cotton produce etc., for the 48 hours ending 8 p.m. on 24th Nov 1922.

Cotton	9,748 Bales.
Wheat	5,462 Owts
Linseed	4 25 ..
Rape, etc.	377 ..
Gingellyseed	2,365 ..
Poppyseed	191 ..
Groundnuts	2,581 ..
Castorseed	3,5 9 ..
Rice	5 381 ..
Myrabolams	12,064 ..
Cottonseed	23,826 ..
Mowraseed	1,000 ..
Gram	11 ..
Juwar	522 ..
Masur	Nil ..
Barley	378 ..
Bajry	3,081 ..
Coal	1,243 Tons.

WHEAT AND SEEDS

Bombay, Nov. 25th.

The following are to-day's closing rates as issued by the Bombay Grain merchants' Association:—

Ready	Bazar Terms Rs.	a.	p.	Rail Delivery Rs.	a.	p.
Wheat White Delhi 70-30	50	0	0	7	12	0
Wheat, White Cawnpore 70-30	48	0	0	7	10	0
Wheat, Karachi Bangla	50	0	0	7	12	0
Rapeseed, Brown Delhi	9	12	0	10	4	0
Rapeseed, Brown Cawnpore.	9	12	0	10	4	0
Rapeseed, Yellow Cawnpore	10	8	0	11	0	0
Linseed, Brown Bold	12	2	0	12	10	0
Linseed Brown Thin	11	12	0	12	4	0
Linseed, White 85 15	70	0	0	13	12	0
Teelseed, Gajar 75-25	67	0	0			
Teelseed, Gajar 50-50	64	0	0			
Teelseed Black	59	0	0			
Poppyseed, White	13	4	0	13	12	0
Groundnuts	6	0	0	12	0	0
Mowraseed	6	8	0	6	12	0
Barley	37	0	0			
Castorseed	52	0	0	10	4	0
Cotton Seeds-Ready Delivery.	37	0	0	4	0	0
Forward.	**Rs.**	**a.**	**p.**			
Wheat, May	—	—				
Linseed, May	—	—				

MESSRS. MONTAGU'S GOLD AND SILVER REPORT.

2nd. November 1922.

GOLD.

The Bank of England gold reserve against its note issue is £ 125,602,400, as compared with £ 125,602,320 last week.

A fair amount of gold was on offer, and was taken for New York with the exception of a small amount required to meet inquiry from India.

Gold valued at $3,686,000 has been received in New York—$ 3,536,000 from London and $ 150,000 from France—while $ 500,000 in gold has been despatched from New York to Montreal.

The Southern Rhodesia gold outupt for September 1922 amounted to 55,443 ounces, as compared with 56,037 ounces for August 1922, and 52,436 ounces for September 1921.

SILVER.

The market has lacked animation during the week, and the undertone kept rather poor. The Indian Bazaars have sent a few buying orders, and easier rates tempted bears to cover some of their commitments. Scarcity of spot supplies has checked the tendency of prices to fall. Offerings have been somewhat freer from the Continent, and China sales have been frequent, though not large in amount. America has been inclined to let out Silver now that China requirements seem to be satisfied for the present. To obtain effective support from China, a lower level of prices must be attained.

It is announced from Washington that the total amount of silver purchased under the Pittman Act up to October 23rd last was 137,075,576 ounces, including a purchase of 300,000 ozs., on that date.

The State Banks of France, Germany, Austria, Hungary, Spain, the Netherlands, and Switzerland, return in their official statements from time to time a certain amount of silver as part of the reserve against their notes. Others such as Italy, Belgium, Denmark etc., simply state so much bullion. It is therefore difficult to ascertain the exact quantity of silver, coined and uncoined, thus held—especially as in the case of France, Spain, and Switzerland, the three largest holders, no distinction is drawn between coin of .900 and .835 quality. Including the £ 7,000,000 of silver coin held by the Bank of England on account of the British Treasury Currency Note reserve it is a fair estimate that the Banks above-mentioned hold the equivalent of about 200,000,000 standard ounces.

Notwithstanding that the note circulation of India is almost as large as it has ever been (Oct. 22. 1922, 18,028 as compared with 18,691 lacs on Jan. 15. 1920) the ratio of the bullion reserve to the note circulation is on the increase—63 per cent., on October 22. 1922, as compared with 31 percent on July 7. 1918. Of the reserve on the later date, 9,079 lacs of the combined total of 11,511 lacs, consisted of silver. It is not surprising, therefore, to read in the "Times of India" of Oct. 7. 1922 that it had been suggested that "the Government of India should, therefore, sell off some of the huge holding of silver in the currency department before the inevitable slump comes, and specially in view of the Controller of the Currency's report on the growing popularity of the paper rupee and the waning use of the coined rupee. The suggestion, therefore, needs to be carefully considered both by the Government and the mercantile community in India, as the percentage of silver in the currency appears to be abnormally large." The silver contents of the holding on Oct. 22. last are equal to 337,395,270 standard ounces.

No fresh Indian Currency Returns have been received.

The stock in Shanghai on the 28th ult., consisted of about 40,900,000 ounces in sycee, 38,000,000 dollars, and 2,080 silver bars, as compared with about 40,700,000 ounces in sycee, 37,500,000 dollars, and 1,820 silver bars on the 21st ult.

The Shanghai exchange is quoted at 3s.-3½d. the tael.

Statistics for the month of October are appended:—

BAR SILVER.

Highest Price Cash Delivery 35. 7/16d. p. oz. std. 2 Months Deliver 35. 5/16.

Lowest Price Cash Delivery 33. 3/4d. p. oz. std. 2 Months Delivery 33. 5/8 d.

Average Price Cash Delivery 34. 497d. p. oz. std. 2 Months Delivery 34. 353d.

BAR GOLD.

Highest Price p. oz. fine 93s. 3d.

Lowest Price p. oz. fine 92s. d.

Average Price p. oz. fine 92s. 10. 1d.

BAR SILVER.

Quotations:—

October 27th 34. 1/8d. cash p. oz. std. 33. 3/4d. 2 mos.

October 28th 34. 1/8d. cash p. oz. std. 33 7/8d. 2 mos.

October 30th 34. 1/16d. cash p. oz. std. 33. 13/16d. 2 mos.

October 31st 33. 15/16d. cash p. oz. std. 33. 11/16d. 2 mos.

November 1st 33. 15/16d. cash p. oz. std. 33. 11/16d. 2 mos.

November 2nd 34.—d. cash p. oz. std. 33. 11/16d. 2 mos.

Average 34. 031d. cash p. oz. std. 33. 760d. 2 mos

BAR GOLD

October 27th p. oz. fine 92s. 8d.

October 28th p. oz. fine.

October 30th p. oz. fine 92s. 5d.

October 31st p. oz. fine 92s. 6d.

November 1st p. oz. fine 92s. 5d.

November 2nd p. oz. fine 92s. 4d.

Average p. oz. fine 82s. 5.6d.

The silver quotations to-day for cash and forward delivery are respectively 1/16d. below, and the same as those fixed a week ago.

COLOUR.

Nov. 24.

We have to report limited business. Values are easy. Alizarine 20 per cent has some business at Rs. 85 per cent Congo-Red remains firm and business passed at Rs. 2 per lb. Bengo-Purpurine and Delta-Purpurine had limited business. Magenta-Crystals has poor demand. Methyl-Violet was offered at Rs. 5 per lb. Malachite Green and Victoria Blue were not in demand. Solable Blue had same demand but no business reported Fast Red has some lively demand from the Mofussil. Sulpher-Black is steady at previous rates.

Quotations:—

Alizarine 20 per cent. (German) Rs. 85 per cent.

Alizarine 20 per cent I. P. Rs. 84 per cent.

Alizarine 20 per cent Moon. Rs. 90 per cent.

Congo-Red Rs. 2 per lb.

Bengo-Purpurine Rs. 3 per lb.

Delta-Purpurine Rs. 4 per lb.

Fast-Red (Mad). Rs. 6 per lb.

Victoria Blue Rs. 7 per lb.

Soluble-Blue Rs. 6 per lb.

Nigrosene Crystals Rs. 2/8/- per lb.

Acuratine Crystals Rs. 1/6/- per lb.

Sulpher-Black Rs. 1/4/- per lb.

MONEY AND SHARE MARKET.

BOMBAY, Nov. 25.

REPORT.

Bars Gold ready, Rs. 26-2-6.

Bars Gold forward, Rs. 26-2-6.

Bars Gold 2nd settlement, Rs. 26-1-9.

Bars Silver ready, Rs. 83-1-0.

Bars Silver 1st settlement, 83-1-0.

Bars Silver 2nd settlement, Rs. 82-11.

EXCHANGE.

B. C. Rate.—Bank's selling T. T. 1/3 7/8.

Bank's selling D. D. 1/3 29/32.

On London.—Bank's selling T. T. 1/3 29/32.

Bank's selling D. D. 1/3 29/32.

Bank's buying 3 M/st. D. A. 1/4 5/32.

Bank's buying T. T. 1/3 31/32.

Bank's buying D. D. 1/4.

Tone of Exchange. Steady Market.

On Paris.—Bank's selling D. D. Frcs. 405.

Bank's buying 3 M/st. D. A. Frcs. 435.

Bank's buying D. D. Frcs. 425.

On Japan.—Bank's selling T. T. Rs. 163.

Bank's buying 60 D/st. D. P. Rs. 158.

On Hongkong.—Bank's selling D. D. Rs. 180.

On Shanghai.—Bank's selling D. D. Rs 241.

On Singapore.—Bank's selling D. D. Rs. 177¼.

One New York.—Bank's selling D. D. Rs. 339.

London Gold ready.—sh. 91-9

London Silver ready.—d. 32-5.

London Silver forward.—d. 31-15.

Tone of silver.—Dull, Market fell on general selling. Speculators are the only buyers. Buyers satisfied.

CROSS RATES ON LONDON TO THE POUND STERLING.

American Exchange:—$. 4.49-1/2.

French Exchange:—Frcs. 62.80.

Swiss Exchange:—Frcs. 24.20.

Belgium Exchange:—Frcs. 67.60.

Italian Exchange:—Liras. 95.00.

German Exchange:—Mrks. 31000.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

3½ per cent. Paper. Rs. 58/8.

5 per cent. War Loan. Rs. 84/4.

4 per cent. Terminable Loan. Rs. 98

4 per cent. Conversion Loan. 78.

5½ per cent. War Bonds due 1923. Rs. 100/12.

5½ per cent. War Bonds due 1928. Rs. 101/4.

6 per cent Government of India Bonds due 1926. Rs. 101.

6 per cent. Government of India Bonds due 1923. Rs. 101/4.

6½ per cent. Bombay Development Loan due 1935. Rs. 104/4.

4 per cent. Bombay Port Trust due 1974. Rs. 66.

6 per cent. Bombay Port Trust due 1930. Rs. 95.

4 per cent. Bombay Municipal due 1974. Rs. 66.

6 per cent. Bombay Municipal due 1929 to 49 Rs. 95.

4 per cent. Bombay Improvement Trust due 1974. Rs. 66.

SHARES.

Market closed quiet but steady.

The following are the closing rates of the Bombay Stock Exchange:—

BANKS.

Imperial 1,330, India 98, Central 33/8, Tata Bank 15/4 and Eastern 74.

COTTON MILLS.

Ah. Advance 2,400, Alliance 240, Apollo 52-8, Birla Mills 60, By.-Cotton 910, By.-Dyeing 1,242/8, Bradbury 950, Century 625, Central India 3,445, Colaba Land 1,825, Coorla 190 x.d., Crescent 412/8, Edw., Sassoon 380, Elphinstone 107/8, Fazulbhoy 1,200, Gokak 212/8, Ind.-Bleaching 207/8, Ind.-Malwa 557/8, Jamshed Manufacturing 290, Kastoorchand 640, Khatao 405, Kohinoor 1,710, Luxmi Cotton 4,500n., M. Petit 3,750, Meyet Sassoon 220, Morarji 5,025, New Great 580, New City 545, Pabani 650, Pearls 870, Phoenix 765, Shapurji 208/12, Simplex 530, Swan 950, Swadeshi 3,430, Tata Mill 835 and Vishnu Cotton 1,900.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Alcock 377/8, B. Burma 452/8, B. Burma N. I 131/4, Bt.-Burma Pet 7/4, B. Tramway 110, B. Steam 157/8, Bundi Cement 29/8x.d., Ind.-Cement 210 Katni Ord. 225, Katni Defd. 1,080, New India 16, Shivrajpur 31, Tata Iron Ord. 37/8, Tata Iron Defd. 111/4, Tata Hydro 745, Tata Oil 26/4 and Scindia Team 6/12.

The Hon. Pandit Jagat Narain, Minister of Local Self-Government and Public Health, U.P., has been on a brief visit to Cawnpore. He visited the sites where the Cawnpore Improvement Trust has been carrying on its development work and had a look at the trust bungalows and the office. He also met many members of the Municipal Board and the Cawnpore Improvement Trust.—(A.P.).

A correspondent writes:—

From a telegram received from Rangoon it appears that Mr. Jehangir Kaikhashru Ardeshir Munshi, has been elected to the Burma Legislative Council from the West Rangoon Indian constituency.

SHARE REPORTS.

BANKS.

NAME.	Paid up amount. Rs	Face Value. Rs.	Div. paid.	Last Div. Rs.	Nov. 25. Quotations to buy. Rs.
Allahabad Bank	100	100	Feb-Aug.	9%	280
Alliance	100	100	Jan-Aug.	7%	180
Baroda	50	100	Jan-July	7%	72
Imperial	500	500	Jan-July	10%	1330
" Contributary	122		"	10	340
India	50	100	Jan-July	7%	98
Central	25	50	Feb-Oct.	7%	33/8
Tata Bank	22 1/2	75	"	as. 8	15/4
Chartered Bank	£5	£5	Apr-Oct.	13/7	£18 1/8
Eastern	£5	£10	"	5	74
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation	$ 125	$ 125		£3	£118
Mercantile Bank of India	A £12 1/2			16%	£ 27/12

RAILWAY COMPANIES.

NAME.	Paid up	Face Value	Div. paid	Last Div.	Quotations
Ahmedabad Prantij	500	500	Feb.-Oct.	11 1/2%	643
Amritsar Patty	100	100	"	6 1/4%	112
Central Provinces	100	100	"	6%	90
Chaparmukh Silghat	100	100	"	4 1/2%	82/12
Dond-Baramate	100	100	Feb-Aug.	2 1/2%	65
Khulna Bagirhat	100	100	"	4%	100
Larkhana	100	100	"	4%	74
Mandhra Bhoa	90	100	Feb-Aug.	4 7/8%	63nd
Pachora Jamner	100	100	Feb-Aug.	5 per cent.	88
Sara Sirajgunj	130	100	Mar-Sept.	1 1/4%	68
Sialkote Narowal	100	100	Apr-Oct.	5%	75
Sindh Light	100	100	Jul-Jan.	6 1/2%	118
Tapti Valley	500	500	Mar-Sept.	"	598
Upper Sindh Light	100	100	Feb-Aug.	—	65

CEMENT AND MANGANESE COMPANIES.

NAME.	Paid up	Face Value	Div. paid	Last Div.	Quotations
Bundi Portland	18	18	July	1/8	29/8xd
Bamankua	5	—	—	—	6
Central Mining	10	—	—	32 8%	24/8
Indian Cement	250	250	—	20	210
Katni Cement ord.	100	100	"	20	228
" Defd	40	40	"	184 10	1080
Shivrajpur	10	10	"	4-2-4	31

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

NAME.	Paid up Rs.	Face Value Rs	Div. paid	Last Div. Rs.	Quotations Rs.
Ah. Advances	500	500	Apr-Oct.	250	2400
Alliance. Cotton	100	100	"	40	240
Apollo	50	50	Feb.-Jan.	8	52/8
Birla Mills	100	100	Apl-Sept.	8	60
By. Cotton	500	500	Sept.-Dec.	100	910
By. Dyeing	250	250	Mar-Apl.	72/8	1242 8
Bradbury	250	250	June.-Nov.	80	950
Bombay Industrial	100	100	"	18	71
Century	100	100	Apl.-Sept.	40	625
Cent. India	500	500	May-Nov.	301	3445
Colaba Land	700	700	March	90	1825
Coorla	100	100	June-Dec.	10	190xd
Crescent	100	100	Mar-Sep.	30	412/8
Currimbhoy	350	250	"	50	—
David	250	250	Apl.Sep.	45	—
Dawn	250	250	Mar-Apl.	80	900
E. D. Sassoon United	11/2	10	Sept.	as.8	4
Edward Sassoon	200	200	Mar-Aug.	25	380
Elphinston	100	100	June	25	107/8
Fazulbhoy	250	250	"	100	1200
Framji Petit	1000	1000	Mar.Sept.	125	1900
Globe	100	100	"	30	152/8
Gokak	100	100	"	15	212/8
Indian Bleaching	100	100	May	10	207/8
Indore Malwa	100	100	Aug-Feb.	40	557/8
Jamshed Mfg.	250	250	May-Oct.	15	290
Kastoorchand	500	500	July-Dec.	50	640
Khatao	100	100	Apl.-Nov.	25	405
Kilachand Mill's	25	25	Aug.-Jan.	as. 12	15/4
Kohinoor	500	500	Mar.-Aug.	72/8	1710
Luxmi Cotton	1000	1000	Apl.Oct.	250	4500n
Madhavrao Scindia	100	100	"	28	175
Madhowji	100	100	July-Dec.	30	380
Mathuradas	500	500	May.-Nov.	35	650
Maneckji Petit	1000	1000	Mar-Sep.	250	3750
Meyer Sassoon	100	100	Mar.-Aug.	15	220
Morarji	1000	1000	Apr.-Nov.	500	5025
New Great	200	200	Mar.-Sep.	35	580
New City	102	100	"	25	545
Pabani	250	250	"	50	650
Pearls	250	250	July-Dec.	70	870
Phoenix	100	100	Mar-Aug.	65	765
Premier	100	100	May		120
Planet	100	100	Dec.-Aug.	15	185
Presidency Mills	125	125	Aug.-Jan.	25	168
Sassoon Cotton	100	100	Apr.-Aug.	15	115
Shapurji	102	101	Aug.-Sept.	20	208/12
Sholapur	2000	1000	Apr-Oct.	1600	14,400n.
Simplex	250	250	Jan.-Dec.	70	530
Standard	500	500	Apr.-Sept.	130	2000
Swan	250	250	Mar.-Aug.	70	950
Swadeshi	500	500	Apr-Oct.	200	3430
Tata Mill	500	500	May.-Oct.	60	835
Vishnu Cotton	500	500	Apr.-Oct.	100	1900n

ELECTRIC COMPANIES.

NAME.	Paid up	Face Value	Div. paid	Last Div.	Quotations
Ahd. Electicy	188	100	"	5%	100
Andhra Valey	1200	1000	"	2	900
Bombay Electric Supply Tramway	52	52	"	5	110
Tata Hydro	1022	1022	Jan.	36	745

MISCELLANEOUS COMPANIES.

NAME.	Paid up	Face Value	Div. paid	Last Div.	Quotations
Alcock	102	123	"	50	377/8
B. Burma T. Corp	125	125	"	10	451/8
B. Burma N.I.	50	125	"	4	131/4
By. Flour	500	500	Jan-Aug	15%	1450
Bt. Burma Pet	8	£	Mar-Oct.	as 3.	7/4
By. Steam	250	250	Oct.	Rs. 41/2%	157/8
Kemp & Co.	200		July.	24	145
Marcks	200		July	26	62
New India Insur.	25	250		..	16
Oriental Govt Life	50	200	April	86%	380
Phillips	48		July	10%	42
Port Canning	1000		Sept.	6 p/c.	610
Scindia Steam	30	30	"	"	6/12
Tata Iron & Steel-Ord.	75	75	Sept.	4 %	37/8
Defd	30	30	Sept.	362	111/4
N. Ord.	75	75	"	"	—
N. Def.	400	400	"	"	
Tata Oil.	100	100	100	"	26/4

BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

Engagements.

TO-DAY.

Dr. Rabindranath Tagore's public lecture "Ethics of Zoroastrianism" (exclusively fo Parsis) Sir Cowasji Jehangir Hall, 6-15 p.m (B. T.).

Red Cross Week Cricket Carnival: 1st match Europeans and Parsis vs. Hindus and Mahomedans, the Esplanade, 11 a.m.

Lady Fletcher will hold a final lecture at Bishop's Lodge, at 10 a m

Meetings of the Tata Hydro-Electric Power Supply Company, Limited, and the Andhra Valley Power Supply Company, Limited, at 3 p.m. and 3-30 p.m. respectively.

National Medical College—Post-graduate course. Dr. S. K. Vaidya, M. R. C. S., D. P. H. at 5 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, November 29.

Meeting of the Standing Committee at 3 p.m (B. T.).

Mr. K. Dwarkadas' lecture on "Legislatures and Labour", the Sir C. Jehangir Hall, 6-15 p.m.

THURSDAY, November 30

Women's Council Parliamentary Sub-Committee lecture on "Women in the Legal Profession", at 5-30 p.m., at the Seva Sadan, Harvey Road, Gamdevi. Speaker: Miss B. A. Engineer.

FRIDAY, December 1.

Public lecture by Dr. Tagore on "A Vision of India's History", Excelsior Theatre, 6-15 p.m. (S. T.). Admission by tickets.

RAILWAY TIMINGS.

G. I. P. (VICTORIA TERMINUS)

	Arr. H.	Arr. M.	Dep. H	Dep. M
Punjab Mail	17	0	13	30
Calcutta Mail (via Jubbulpore)	13	15	21	[illegible]
Calcutta Mail (via Nagpur)	7	0	15	30
Madras Mail	8	40	21	20
Poona Mail	11	40	14	45
Inter & Ord. Poona Express	12	15	14	10
Poona Express	19	50	7	50
Delhi & Lucknow Express	9	0	22	0
Madras Fast Passenger	21	40	8	15

B. B. & C. I. (COLABA.)

	Arr. H. M	Dep H. M.
Bombay-Peshawar Mail	13 35	16 0
Gujarat Mail	11 10	20 20
Delhi Express	6 30	20 55
Kathiawar Express	7 45	21 35
Express	21 40	7 5

Delhi Express Trains will stop at Grant Road in both directions and at Dadar in the Down direction.

BAND AT ESPLANADE BANDSTAND.

The band of the G. I. P. Rly. Regiment, A. F. (India), will play a programme of music at the Esplanade Bandstand to-day (Monday) at 6 p.m. (S. T.).

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

Mr. Ramchandra M. Bhat writes:—"I intend to stand as a candidate for the General Election of Municipal Councillor in D Ward."

RAO SAHEB M. D. RANE'S CANDIDATURE.

Rao Saheb M. D. Rane (Retired Senior Superintendent, P. W. D.) is standing as a candidate for election at the ensuing Corporation from G (Mahim) Ward.

THE UNION BANK OF INDIA, LTD.

The profits of the Union Bank of India, Ltd., for the six months ending 30th September, 1922, including the balance brought forward from the last year amount to Rs. 1,36,683-4-10 which the Board of Directors have decided to carry forward to the current half year.

BYCULLA DIST. CONGRESS COMMITTEE.

As there are 11 candidates, namely, Messrs. V. A. Desai, Oosman Sobani, J. B. Patel, Anantram Vaikunthram, S. L. Silam, I. L. Kaji, Hansraj P. Thackersey, S. V. Puntambekar, G. V. Jaykar, H. F. Maniar and M. Bhandare for the election of six delegates to the Gaya Congress, the polling will take place on Sunday, the 2nd December, between 8-30 to 12 in the morning and 4 to 8 in the evening at the headquarters, No. 2, Ripon Road.

THE MADRAS AYURVEDIC PHARMACY, LTD.

We have received the following three Calendars:—(1) The Tilak Calendar in sitting posture, (2) Indian Lady Calendar and (3) Perpetual Calendar for 1922, sent us by the firm of the Madras Ayurvedic Pharmacy (Post Box 151, Madras). They are very fascinating looking in their get-up, printing and prominence. The Tilak Calendar nicely printed in colours, is excellent and so is the Lady Calendar. The perpetual calendar can serve for years together. The enterprising firm deserves support for their best production.

PROPRIETARY AND FORT HIGH SCHOOL SILVER JUBILEE.

The Silver Jubilee celebrations of the above School took place on Thursday and Friday last. The School building was prettily decorated with flags and festoons. On the first day the boys sang the Jubilee song and went through a programme of music. There was also an Indian concert. Sweets, chocolates and toffee were then given to the boys. The next day there was a variety performance of gymnastic feats by the boys. Sports were held for two days on the Gowalior Tank play-ground. All the events were well contested specially the Boy Scouts signalling. At the end one of the proprietors and principals of the School, Mr. M. H. Taleyarkhan, gave away medals and prizes of books, etc., to successful students at the Matriculation and other examinations and also for efficiency in sports, Scout signalling, etc.

THE SHAH OF PERSIA.

H. I. M. the Shah of Persia, being pleased with the reception accorded to him, though he was passing privately through Bombay, has conferred the distinguished title of "Malek-ut-tujjar" on Mr. Mahammad Jafar Shustry who placed his passengership at the disposal of his Sovereign. Owing, however, to previous arrangement the Shah could not see his way to alter his programme and left Bombay on the 24th by s. s. Warsowa.

TO-DAY'S MEETINGS.

BYCULLA DIST. CONGRESS COMMITTEE.

A meeting of the Managing Committee will be held to-day (Monday) at 7 p.m. in the Headquarters.

INDIAN ECONOMIC SOCIETY.

Under the auspices of this Society a public lecture will be delivered on "The Social Fabric of the East and the West", by Mr. J. K. Mehta to-day (Monday) at 6-30 p.m. (S. T.), at the Servants of India Society's Hall, Sandhurst Road, Girgaum, Bombay. Mr. M. R. Jaykar will preside.

RAMAKRISHNA LODGE T. S., DADAR.

Under the auspices of the Ramakrishna Lodge, Dadar, it has been arranged to hold weekly study classes, commencing from Monday, the 27th instant, between the hours of 8-30 p.m. and 9-15 p.m., at Pandit's House, c/o Mr. V. N. Gupte, Lady Jamshetji Road, Dadar. The classes are open to members and sympathisers.

DR. TAGORE'S LECTURE FOR PARSIS.

Under the joint auspices of the Parsi Central Association, the Zoroastrian Association and the Rathestar Mandal, Dr. Sir Rabindranath Tagore will deliver a public lecture to-day (Monday) on "Ethics of Zoroastrianism", at Sir Cowasji Jehangir Hall, Fort, at 6-15 p.m. (S. T.) exclusively for the Parsis, when Sir Jamsetji Jeejeebhoy, Bart., will preside. Hon. Justice Mr. Dinshaw Mulla will propose a vote of thanks. The first four rows are reserved for the members only.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS.

F WARD DIST. CONGRESS COMMITTEE.

The general meeting of the F Ward District Cong. C. will be held on Wednesday next (the 29th instant) at the Head Office (Ghaswala Building, near Parel Tram Terminus) at 9 p.m., instead of on Saturday as previously announced.

DR. TAGORE'S PUBLIC LECTURE.

Dr. Rabindranath Tagore will deliver a public cosmopolitan lecture on "A Vision of India's History" on Friday next (the 1st proximo) at the Excelsior Theatre at 6-15 p.m. (S. T.), when admission will be by tickets only ranging from Re. 1 to Rs. 5, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the Santiniketan University Funds.

GANDHARVA MAHA VIDYALAYA.

The annual prize-distribution of the above Institution will take place at Ram Bhuvan Hall at the premises of the Institution at Sandhurst Road on Friday next (the 1st proximo) at 5 p.m. (S. T.), Hon. Dr. Sir Chimanlal H. Setalvad, Kt., will preside. A short select programme in music will be gone through.

ETHICS OF ZOROASTRIANISM.

Under the auspices of the K. R. Cama Oriental Institute, Sukhadwala Building, 172, Hornby Road, to-morrow (Tuesday) at 6 p.m. (S. T.) Prof. Dr. M. Winternitz of the Prague University will deliver a discourse on "The Ethics of Zoroastrians from a Comparative point of view." The Hon. Mr. Justice Dinshaw F. Mulla will preside on the occasion.

LECTURE ON HOUSING PROBLEM.

A public lecture on the housing Problem in 1922 will be delivered by Mr. Mancherjee E. Joshi, Assistant Engineer, Bombay Municipality, under the auspices of the Bombay Central Cooperative Institute, at 6 p.m. on Tuesday next (the 28th instant), in the hall of the City Improvement Trust. Mr. H. B. Clayton, M.A., Bombay Municipal Commissioner, will preside.

ANTHROPOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF BOMBAY.

The ordinary monthly meeting of the Society will be held in the rooms of the B. B. Royal Asiatic Society, Town Hall, Bombay, on Wednesday (the 29th instant) at 6 p.m. (S. T.), when the following papers to be read:—(1) "A Strange Folklore of Kathiawad regarding a ghost marrying a living bride", by Mr. S. S. Mehta, B.A. (2) "The Tea-cult and the Flower-cult of the Japanese", by Dr. Jivanji Jamshedji Modi. (3) "The Khutba of the Mahomedans and the Dasturi of the Parsis", by Dr. J. J. Modi.

ALL-INDIA NAYEE CONFERENCE.

The Secretary of the Nayee Brahman Mahasabha writes from Agra:—

The next session of the All-India Nayee Conference will be held at Cawnpore on the 27th and 28th December, 1922. On the occasion of the Conference the Mahasabha is to perform the opening ceremony of a Gurukul (a free residential school). The Nayee Brahman Sabha, Cawnpore, has managed for free board and lodging of the visitors and delegates to the Conference. Intending visitors may communicate with the President, Reception Committee, All-India Nayee Conference, Cawnpore, before their arrival, so that volunteers receive them at the Cawnpore Railway Station.

ALL-INDIA CONFERENCE OF INDIAN CHRISTIANS.

The 9th session of the All-India Indian Christian Conference will begin on the evening of the 27th December and will continue on the 28th, 29th and, if necessary, on the morning of the 30th December, 1922.

The meetings will be held in the hall of the Christian College, Lucknow, Gola Gunj. Those who are intending to be present should inform the Secretary not later than the 8th of December, 1922.

CORONER'S COURT.

KNOCKED DOWN BY CARRIAGE.

At the Coroner's Court, on Sunday, Mr. A. R. King, the Coroner held an inquest touching the death of one Bhagoobai (58) who was accidentally knocked down by a private Victoria on the 23rd instant at about 8 a.m.

Mr. Byramji Hormusji, a grass merchant residing at Mazagaon, said on the day in question about 8-45 a.m. he was in a private carriage—a victoria belonging to Mr. Nusservanji Cursetji—and was going from Mahaluxmi to Grant Road along Arthur Road. The deceased who had some tiffin-carriers on her head commenced crossing the road from his left. The driver shouted to her. The owner of the carriage and witness also shouted. She, then, turned back towards the footpath and the horse's heel struck her and she fell. The horse trampled on her knee. The Police came and took her to the J. J. Hospital. She was conscious. There was heavy traffic on the road. Deceased was about five paces from the carriage when witness first saw her. The carriage was moving slowly. The driver tried to stop, but the deceased after going again towards the foot path found a cart in her way and again came towards the horse. She would have escaped if she had not turned back. The driver, according to witness, could not have done more to avoid her.

Mr. Nusservanji Cursetji, the owner of the carriage corroborated the last witness.

The medical evidence showed that death was due to shock following the injury.

After the evidence had been recorded, the jury returned a verdict that the death of Bhagoobai was caused by her having been accidentally knocked down by a private Victoria.

The Government of India have decided, provided the new system of the distribution of coal works on the whole satisfactorily, to remove the embargo on its export from the 1st January next.

BOMBAY POLICE COURTS.

SENTENCED FOR ASSAULT.

At the Esplanade Police Court, on Friday, before Rao Bahadur Chunilal Setalvad, Acting Chief Presidency Magistrate, Lieut. A. E. Gooding of the R. I. M. S. "Clive" was charged by Ramadios Fonseca with assault under section 352 I.P.C. on the 7th November.

Mr. P. K. Kotwal, pleader, appeared for the complainant.

Remedios Fonseca, the complainant, said he was cabin-boy of Lieut. H. P. Hughes of R. I. M. S. "Hardinge" at first, and, at present, of R. I. M. S. "Clive" since the 4th instant. On the 7th instant his master ordered him at about 10 a.m. to take his luggage to the Yacht Club Chambers. The complainant accordingly took his luggage to the Yacht Club Chambers, but as he had forgotten to bring one box belonging to Lieut. Hughes from R. I. M. S. "Hardinge", he went to R. I. M. S. "Clive" to report to him about it on the 7th instant at about 2 p.m. when his master was dining in a room with other officers. The complainant went near the dining-room to see whether his master was there. He (the complainant) saw his master there and he went along forward, when the butler approached him. While the complainant was enquiring about the health of the butler, the accused came from behind, gave him a slap on his neck and asked him who he (the complainant) was. Witness got frightened and could not speak anything. Thereupon, the butler replied to the accused that witness was the cabin-boy of the First Lieutenant. The accused, then, said "I don't care a damn" and gave witness another slap on his face and said "Jao, Jao". While witness was going away the accused gave him a kick from behind. When witness was on the steps to leave the ship, the accused gave him another kick from behind. Witness, thereupon, reported the matter to his master.

The accused in his statement said that the complainant came on board the ship and passed the ward-room and stared through the door and the window. He was the only officer having his meals there. The other officers had already finished their meals. The complainant's action annoyed him. He (the accused) went out and ordered him off the ship. He was standing talking to two other servants. He had never seen the complainant before and did not know who he was. He ordered him off the ship but he did not move. So, he caught hold of him by the back of the neck and pushed him. He admitted having said "I don't care a damn".

Court:—"Did you give him any slap"?

Accused:—"I do not think I slapped him."

Court:—"Did you kick the complainant"?

Accused:—"I pushed him with my foot."

The Magistrate in his judgment observed that the accused wantonly assaulted the complainant. He, therefore, convicted him and sentenced him to pay a fine of Rs. 60 and ordered that Rs. 25 be paid to the complainant, out of the fine, by way of compensation.

FINED FOR CAUSING HURT.

At the Esplanade Police Court, on Friday, before Mr. G. R. Khairaz, Acting Third Presidency Magistrate, Sub-Inspector Sawant charged Shahbudin Mahomed, a motor driver, with voluntarily causing hurt to Mahomed Abdul Rahim, also a motor driver.

Mr. Vaz, pleader, defended the accused.

The prosecution case was that on the 28th ultimo at 9-30 p.m. while the complainant was in his room the accused went there, caught hold of him and stabbed him with a penknife on the forehead and ran away. The matter was reported to the police, who removed the complainant to the hospital where he was detained for some days. The accused was subsequently arrested by the police.

The accused pleaded guilty and said he was feverish at the time and was mentally worried.

The Magistrate convicted the accused and sentenced him to pay a fine of Rs. 100 in default to suffer two months' hard labour. If the fine be recovered, Rs. 50 were ordered to be paid to the complainant by way of compensation.

THE WHEET POSITION.

According to the returns received in the Department of Statistics, the total imports of wheat by rail, river and sea into the ports of Bombay, Karachi, and Calcutta during the week ending 11th November, 1922, were 19,223 tons, as against 13,751 tons and 16,722 tons in the corresponding period of 1921 and 1920, respectively. For the same period the total exports by sea to foreign countries were 15,998 tons, as against 60 tons and 83 tons in the corresponding period of 1921 and 1920, respectively.

The imports of wheat by all routes from 1st April, 1922, to the week, of report as compared with the corresponding period of last year were as below:—

From 1st April to 11th November, 1922.

	Indian. Tons.	Foreign. Tons.	Total. Tons.
Into Bombay	96,830	3,185	99,775
Into Karachi	120,501	10,566	131,067
Into Calcutta	88,169	189	88,358
Total...	305,280	13,940	319,200

From 1st April to 12th November, 1921.

	Indian. Tons.	Foreign. Tons.	Total. Tons.
Into Bombay	73,545	26,060	99,605
Into Karachi	101,997	19,012	121,009
Into Calcutta	93,327	5,943	99,270
Total ...	268,169	51,015	319,084

*According to the final wheat forecast issued on 10th August 1922, the total production of wheat for 1921-22 is estimated at 9,813,000 tons as against 6,706,000 tons, the revised final estimate of 1920-21.

JUTE POSITION.

The arrivals of raw jute† into Calcutta† by all routes and the imports of raw jute by rail and steamer§ into the mills situated outside the Calcutta Trade block were in bales of 400 lbs. each:—

For week ending 11th November, 1922.

Into Calcutta (by all routes) Bales 139,669.

Into the mills situated outside the Calcutta Trade block, Bales 58,066.

For week ending 12th November, 1921.

Into Calcutta (by all routes) Bales 119,734.

Into the mills situated outside the Calcutta Trade block, Bales 82,942.

The arrivals from the beginning of the present season (1st July, 1922) to 11th November, 1922, as compared with the corresponding period of the preceding two years were:—

Into Calcutta (by all routes), 1922, Bales, (a) bales.

Into the mills situated outside the Calcutta Trade block, 1922, Bales, 1,250450.

Into Calcutta (by all routes) 1921, Bales, 2,091,779.

Into the mills situated outside the Calcutta Trade block, 1921, Bales, 1,311,481.

The exports of raw jute by sea to foreign countries were in bales of 400 lbs. each:—

For week ending 11th November, 1922.

From Calcutta and Chittagong, Bales, 29,512.

For week ending 12th November, 1921.

From Calcutta and Chittagong, Bales, 87,601.

The total exports of raw jute by sea to foreign countries from the beginning of the present season (1st July, 1922) to 11th November, 1922, as compared with the corresponding period of the preceding two years were:—

From Calcutta and Chittagong, 1922, Bales, 1,115,536.

From Calcutta and Chittagong, 1921, Bales, 944,027.

The total exports of gunny bags and gunny cloth by sea from Calcutta from the beginning of January, were:—

Gunny bags, Number, 1922, 298,315,561.

Gunny bags, Tons, 1922 236,581.

Gunny cloth, Yards, 1922, 1,070,885,517.

Gunny bags, Number, 1921 345,663,699.

Gunny bags, Tons, 1921, 303,033.

Gunny cloth, Yards, 1921, 926,753,144.

†The total outturn of jute in the season 1922 is estimated at 4,236,800 bales of 400 lbs. as against 4,065,309 bales in 1921 (including imports from Nepal.)

COTTON POSITION.

The arrivals of raw cotton into Bombay by rail and sea (foreign and coastwise) during the week ending 9th November, 1922, were 15,866 (a) bales of 400 lbs. each, as against 31,646 (a) bales in the corresponding period of 1921. The total arrivals of raw cotton into Bombay from 1st September, 1922 to 9th November, 1922, were 68,251 bales of 400 lbs. each, as against 325,122 bales during the corresponding period of 1921.

The estimated stock of raw cotton in Bombay on the 9th November, 1922, was 536,094 2,691,652.

The total imports during the week ending 11th November, 1922, of cotton piecegoods by sea from foreign countries into the ports of Calcutta Bombay, Karachi, Madras, and Rangoon amounted to 42 million yards, as against 25 and 22 million yards in the corresponding period of 1921 and 1920, respectively. The total quantity of piecegoods (Indian and foreign) despatched during the same period by rail from the ports of Calcutta, Bombay, Karachi and Madras amounted to 1,728, tons, as aginst 1,236 tons in 1921 and 2,249 tons in 1920.

According to the Supplementary cotton forecast issued on the 29th April, 1922, the total production of cotton for 1921-22 is estimated at 4,463,000 bales (400 lbs. each) as against 3,601,000 bales, the revised estimate for 1920-21.

RICE POSITION.

The estimated arrivals of paddy and rice expressed in cargo rice† by rail and boat into Rangoon and Bassein from 1st January to 11th November, 1922, as compared with the corresponding period of previous year, were approximately as below:—

From 1st January to 11th November, 1922.

Rangoon, total tons, 1,765,100.

Bassein, total tons, 232,900.

From 1st January to 12th November, 1921.

Rangoon, total tons, 1,649,700.

Bassein, total tons, 248,000.

The imports of rice into Calcutta by all routes from 1st January to 11th November, 1922, amounted to 411,515 tons as against 457,476 tons in the corresponding period of last year.

Rice entered for shipment to foreign ports at Rangoon and Calcutta from 1st January to 11th November, 1922, amounted to 1,321,503 tons and 89,674 tons, respectively, as against 876,939 tons and 17,998 tons during the corresponding period of last year.

The coastwise exports of rice from Rangoon to all India, excluding Burma provincial ports, during the week ending 11th November, 1922, amounted to 806 tons, of which 46 tons were consigned to Calcutta.

INDIA'S CULTURAL OUTLOOK

DR. TAGORE WELCOMED BY PATHARE PRABHU SAMAJ.

On Sunday evening at the Sir Cowasji Jehangir Hall Poet Rabindranath Tagore was accorded a hearty reception by the Pathare Prabhu Social Samaj when a large number of ladies and gentlemen gathered together to offer the Poet an enthusiastic and cordial welcome. After the preliminary items of Invocation and Welcome Songs being rendered by Mr. N. N. Zaoba and Miss Golab Ramrao Agasker, Dewan Bahadur Ganpat Sadashiv Rao garlanded the Poet and presented him with a purse for the Vishwa Bharati. Dewan Bahadur Sadashiva Rao in introducing the poet said Dr. Rabindranath, Tagore's name was a household word not only throughout India but in all parts of the world. He had taught the world to rise from petty care and anxiety to the beauty, dignity and excellence of human nature. He had founded an institution the object of which was to unite the culture of the East with the culture of the West. He wished the institution every prosperity and expressed the hope that it may be handed over to their children as a great inheritance, as one of the greatest institutions of the world.

TRUE IDEALS OF EDUCATION.

Dr. Rabindranath Tagore then said that he had come amongst them on begging expedition. It was a great surprise to him that the Pathare Prabhu community had invited him to put before them the ideal of his mission. He hoped they had heard about the University which he had founded. They may have also heard that he was spending his life in seclusion in his village pursuing a literary career producing dramas and poems. When he was 40 years of age a call came to him to leave this dreamy life and occupy himself in literary pursuits. It was difficult for him even now ti say what it was that impelled him to come out from the busy world and to seek a life that was different from that of the rest of mankind. At an early age he had left that the educational system then prevailing was a thing apart from real life and made it colourless, and mechanical. He felt that such education was like artificial food which was given to children. It was a cruel tyranny from which he suffered, the tyranny of a lifeless education. He, therefore, felt that it was his mission to supply some idealism as far as lay in his power. He therefore founded an institution where he thought children can breathe the atmosphere of freedom. He received at his institution at the outset students who were absolutely useless, but who were now the best of his students and were doing useful work for the community. He used to give them perfect freedom in their activity. After their morning study in the afternoon they used to have rest and in the evening he used to recite to them the Ramayan and Mahabharat and at times they had dramatic performances. Now he had students from all parts of India. The real atmosphere of culture was created in them.

FOLLY OF THE WEST.

He then dweit at langth on his mission to the West where he saw men trying to solve problems of life, but in vain because they built their ideal on nationalism, viz the interests of their country first and foremost which was the cause of a large share of the misery of the world. In 1916 when he was lecturing large gatherings in the United States on Nationalism his ideas were not accepted by them. They thought that he did not understand nationalism. He was glad however, now to see that the nations of the West were in agreement with his ideas now. He felt that India had a greater message to give to the world the message of love and humanity. So long as the West exploited slavery yearned for and domination of one country over the other they did not understand the true meaning of nationalism. India was the land of civilization and culture and he left, it was left to India to impart the message of love to the world. In his University he had invited men of culture from the West who would sit with the men of the East in common brotherhood and help to give to the world the message of the great master. At the end he appealed for funds for his University.

After some recitations and songs suitable to the occasion the meeting dispersed with a hearty vote of thanks to Dr. Tagore proposed by Mr. B. K. Dhurandhar.

DR. TAGORE IN TRAVANCORE.

[APPRECIATION OF A LOCAL INSTITUTION.

A correspondent writes from Alwaye Travancore under date 22nd November:—

On last Saturday Nov. 17th Dr. Tagore opened the new Hostel Buildings of the Union Christian College, which is a purely residential institution. Mr. Varki, Principal, in welcoming the Poet, who was accompanied by Mr. Andrews, referred to the fact that India had found her vice again in Rabindranath and pointed out how on account of the Poet's being a golden link between tht East and West, he was better fitted than anyone else to lead our country in matters educational, wherein a nice harmonizing of the best in the East and the West was essential. Dr. Tagore, who seems to have been greatly struck by the possibilities of the College, replying said:—"From what I have heard about the ideal of this institution and the methods which you have adopted for carrying on education in this College, I find that it has a great resemblance to the institution I have started. You have the same ideals which we have in Santiniketan." In explaining his ideals, Dr. Tagore then referred to his mission, which dawned on him, on feeling, during his late tour in Europe, how completely the West had accepted him as its Poet. His mission, he said, was to open up the heart of India to intellectual and spiritual communication with the outer world. He denounced vainglorious partiotism and political catchphrases, and advised all true patriots to release India from her spiritual and intellectual imprisonment, by learning more about her than they did, by realizing national unity, and by offering their culture to the other cultures of the world.

Mr. Andrews, who followed, expressed great satisfaction of the methods of the institution, adding that he felt as if he were in Santiniketan itself. During his visit to Travancore in the near future, he has promised to spend a few days at the College.

Dr. Tagore and Mr. Andrews were then asked to plant two mango-plants to commemorate their visit. Amidst cheers, the Principal next announced an anonymous donation of Rs. 300/- to the College for the formation of a Special Library of Poetical Literature with books in as many languages as possible, to be called after the name of Dr. Tagore. With cheers to the distinguished guests, the meeting terminated.

KHILAFAT CONFERENCE.

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CALCUTTA, Nov. 25.

The Khilafat Conference has opened its sitting to-day with Prof. Sherwani of Aligarh in the chair. After referring to the satisfaction of the Moslem world at the success of the Turkish arms, the President remarked that if the dismissed Sheikh-ul-Islam be brought to India the Indians would know how to welcome him. He said, There must not be any change in their object which is the attainment of Swaraj and in their principle which is non-violent non-co-operation but so far as the means attaining their object are concerned they may change and are changing." The conference is adjourned till to-morrow.

COUNCIL ENTRY REFERRED TO GAYA SESSION.

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CALCUTTA, Nov. 26.

The Central Khilafat Committee has considered the recommendations of the Khilafat Inquiry Committee and accepted its recommendation with regard to the continuance of the boycott of Government educational institutions but the recommendation regarding the boycott of the Legislative Councils was referred to the forthcoming All-India Khilafat Conference at Gaya. The Central Committee resolved that it was incumbent upon Mussulmans to take a keen interest in the activities of the Congress and requested that the Congress Committees on which the Muslim representation was inadequate should pay special attention to the removal of the deficiency. It was also desolved that in future the fund of the Committee should be named Khilafat and Angora Fund and that sixty per cent. should go to Angora and forty per cent. to Khilafat. The remaining resolutions of the Inquiry Committee were referred to the Working Committee for presentation to the Central Committee at Gaya.

The sitting on Saturday of the Working Committee of the Central Khilafat Committee resolved that as Hakim Ajmal Khan is unable to attend the Peace Conference in Europe the matter be again referred to the Central Khilafat Committee. It was also resolved to appeal for funds to present a sword to Mustapha Kemal Pasha and an Aeroplane to Angora and to send a deputation of five persons to Jazirat-ul-Arab in accordance with the resolution of the Central Khilafat Committee passed at Delhi. The Working Committee also adopted the recommendations of the Khilafat Inquiry Committee regarding picketing, boycott of courts and British goods, national services, non-violence civil disobedience, organisation of labour and the reorganisation of the Bombay Province.

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turns the balls very cleverly from both the ends.

(7) F. E. Kapadia: A fine wicket-keeper next to his brother, Bahadur Kapadia. Plays with a straight bat and drives the ball very hard.

(8) Kalapesi: A fine left-hand all-rounder. But is a better bowler than a batsman. Takes a long run while delivering the ball and is most deadly on a difficult wicket. Also a beautiful field with a strong and accurate return.

(9) Jamsetji: A slow left-hand bowler with plenty of finger-spin on the ball. Is generally known as Parsi-Terrant. Bowled splendidly at Poona during the last Quadrangular Tournament. Like Rana is played only for his bowling.

RED CROSS CRICKET CARNIVAL.

PLAYERS AND THEIR PLAY DESCRIBED.

The Red Cross Cricket Carnival, which is to begin to-day, promises to be an interesting one. The matches will be played on the Bombay Gymkhana grounds and the cricketing public may look forward to some first class exhibition of cricketing talent. In to-day's encounter a combined team of Hindus and Mahomedans will meet a combined eleven of Parsis and Europeans. The spacious Gymkhana ground has been surrounded on all sides by *shamianas* and tents and in view of the fact that some of the well-known Indian and European cricketing talent in this country is participating in the game, a record attendance of spectators is expected. As announced in these columns some time ago, the Hindu-Mahomedan team, which includes Vithal, C. K. Naidu, Shivram, Rana, Navle, Abdus Salam, Aziz, Ferozkhan and Nazir Hussein, will be captained by his Highness the Thakoresaheb of Rajkot. In addition to this, W. Rhodes, who has been engaged again by the Maharajah of Patiala for the cold season this year, will assist the side. This famous Yorkshire all-rounder is now in his 44th year and in spite of the advancing years has wonderfully kept his form as a batsman and bowler. Next to George Hirst, he is perhaps the greatest cricketer playing for his county in these days. In fact, in first class cricket in England, he has so far scored over 22,000 runs and has performed the double feat of scoring over 1,000 runs and capturing 100 wickets in a season on 12 occasions. Including the two centuries, viz., 153 against the Hindus and 183 against the Parsis in the last year's Quadrangular Tournament at Bombay, he has scored 51 centuries in all. As regards his bowling prowess, there is no cleverer bowler in England at present. On any wicket he is effective; on a difficult wicket most deadly. He had a long hand in winning the championship for his county this year.

As regards the Parsi-European team, it includes D. K. Kapadia, Vajifdar, Driver, Jamsetji, Kalapesi, F. E. Kapadia, R. Kilner, J. B. Higgins, A. L. Hosie and perhaps J. H. Parsons and will be captained by F. G. Travers of Bombay. R. Kilner, who is making his first debut in India as a cricketer, is next to Rhodes the finest left-hand all-rounder and like Rhodes hails from Yorkshire. He is a fine left-hand aggressive type of batsman, whose main fault is impatience. He is a medium paced left-hand bowler, and unlike most left-hand bowlers bowls over the wicket. He spins the ball very sharply and comes very quickly off the pitch. He has performed the double feat of scoring over 1,000 runs and capturing 100 wickets for his county this year. It will thus be seen that so far as the composition of the two teams is concerned, a very keen and exciting competition may be looked forward to. A great deal however depends upon the condition of the pitch, which, as reports go, is far from satisfactory this year. The following particulars about the performances of some of the players may not be out of place:—

HINDU-MAHOMEDAN ELEVEN.

(1) H. H. the Thakorsaheb of Rajkot: Is a good bat with plenty of strokes on the off side. A really good change bowler and an active fielder in slips.

(2) Vithal: A polished batsman on the side. His 101 against the Parsis in 1915, 149 against All-England in 1918, 122 against M. C. Bird's team at Calcutta in the same year and 108 against the Mahomedans in 1920 stamps him as a first class batsman. Once he is settled at the wickets, he scores with a freedom, that is admirable. His timing, quick-footedness and general agility all contribute to make him a real acquisition to Indian cricket. As a fieldsman, Vithal has few superiors in India at cover-point where he is clean in picking up with a wonderful return. Also a good change bowler on a "bumpy" wicket.

(3) C. K. Naidu: The finest all-round cricketer amongst the Hindus at present. Is very cleanly and actively built and possesses steel-like wrists. His most famous innings are 122 against All-England in 1918, 121 against the Parsis in 1920, 139 against the Mahomedans and 101 against the Europeans in the recent C. P. Quadrangular Tournament at Nagpur. A brilliant country-field and a good change bowler.

(4) Shivram: A right medium paced bowler. Keeps good length and can bowl all day if necessary; a brilliant field amongst Indians at present with a strong and accurate return of the ball to the wicket-keeper or the bowler. Was a member of the All-India team which visited England in 1911 where he scored over 1,000 runs in the aggregate which included two centuries, viz., 113 against Somerset and 175 against Lincolnshire.

(5) Rana: A left-hand fast bowler with an easy action. Keeps a good length and is most difficult bowler for three or four overs in the beginning on account of his in-swinging balls. Is played for his bowling alone.

(6) J. G. Navle: Has been responsible for several excellent performances as a wicket-keeper. Also a very decent bat with a sound defence.

(7) Abdus Salam: A fine medium paced right-hand bowler. Can turn the balls both ways and keeps a fine length throughout and a sustained bowler. Is also a very decent bat.

(8) Aziz: A right-hand fast bowler with a beautiful action. A fine bat and a good field.

(9) Nazir Hussein: A dashing type of batsman with plenty of strokes all round the wicket. Is also a brilliant long-field.

(10) Feroze Khan: A pretty batsman with a variety of strokes all round. Also a decent field.

PARSI-EUROPEAN ELEVEN.

(1) F. B. Travers: A classy batsman and a brilliant field in the slips.

(2) J. B. Higgins: Is reported to be an amateur player of the Worcestershire County. A fine right-hand batsman and a good field.

(3) A. L. Hosie: Is an ex-amateur Hampshire player. Playing for his county in 1921, he scored 1,041 runs in 43 completed innings. A very dashing batsman with brilliant strokes on the off-sde. Is an exponent of the hook stroke, which he does very neatly.

(4) D. K. Kapadia: A delightful batsman to watch. Attacks the bowler from the start and once he is set is the most dangerous batsman amongst the Parsis—nay amongst the Indians. Possesses extraordinarily strong fore-arms and powerful wrists and drives the ball with uncommon vigour. His best performance in the big matches is perhaps his great innings of 125 (not out) against the Hindus in 1917. Also a fine field in the country.

(5) H. J. Vajifdar: Next to D. K. Kapadia, Vajifdar is the most dangerous batsman amongst the Parsis now-a-days. Is a great fighter in times of emergency. Has been the mainstay of the Parsi team in recent years. Is also a fine right-hand fast bowler with a pronounced off-break.

(6) Driver: A splendid field in the country and on the cover-point. He is a very sound defence and once he sticks in, bats with wonderful freedom. A very fine change bowler, who

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THE RIGHT DECISION.

We have already sufficiently expressed our view regarding the proposal of a section of the Civil Disobedience Enquiry Committee about entry into the Councils. The retiring All-India Congress Committee, which met in Calcutta last week, would have been perfectly within its rights to have rejected the proposal summarily as being no more within its purview than that of the Civil Disobedience Enquiry Committee. The Committee, however, decided to consider the proposal in an apparently though not really modified form which suggested merely contesting of elections. The result was that though the discussion lasted four days, the conflict of views was too pronounced to secure a decision acceptable to the country. In view of this, on the motion of Mrs. Sarojini Naidu, the Committee decided that the consideration of this question as well as of other questions raised by the recommendations of the Civil Disobedience Enquiry Committee should be adjourned and should be taken up at the Gaya Congress. This is the only wise decision that the retiring All-India Congress Committee could take and we trust the lesson of the discussions that took place at Calcutta will not be lost sight of by those respected leaders of the Congress who are in favour of entering into the Councils in order to wreck "the Reforms." They will have realised that the proposal is unacceptable to the country and realising this they will, we trust, during the interval before the Gaya session of the Congress, energetically devote themselves to a vigorous prosecution of the constructive programme instead of rending the Nation in twain by persisting in futile and dangerous controversy.

EGYPT AND THE KHILAFAT.

We translate from the columns of "Al-Liwa ul-Misri" the terms of the "Patriotic Pact and National Covenant", to which the Egyptian Nationalist Party calls on all Egyptians to subscribe:

"(1) The complete independence of the Valley of the Nile within its ancient and natural boundaries, without any foreign interference, let or hindrance to that independence.

(2) The treaty of 1899 concerning the Sudan is eliminated and considered null and void.

(3) The immediate withdrawal of the British troops from every region of the Valley of the Nile.

(4) Resistance to any pretension on the part of England to any kind of special position in any region of the Valley or the Nile.

(5) Resistance to any effort aiming at an Anglo-Egyptian association for the settlement of the Egyptian question.

(6) Frustration of any attempt on the part of England to burden Egypt with any policy chosen under the shadow of the existing authorities.

(7) To establish the neutrality of the Suez Canal in accordance with the terms laid down by the Constantinople Conference, and to secure that independent Egypt shall be charged with the defence of that neutrality.

(8) To continue to acknowledge the religious suzerainty of the Khilafat of Islam.

This is signed by the Delegation which the Egyptian Nationalist Party has sent to the Peace Conference at Lausanne. We have since heard, in a telegram from our Special Correspondent at the Conference, that the Nationalist Party's delegation has joined forces with the Zaghlulist delegation; which means, of course, that they have sunk their differences. The chief difference between the demands put forward by Saad Pasha Zaghlul in the name of the Egyptian nation and those contained in the above "Patriotic Pact and National Covenant" was the clause upholding the religious suzerainty of the Khilafat, which was never mentioned by Zaghlul at all. But this difference was not one of opinion but of policy; and we have more than once prophesied in these columns that Zaghlul and those who held with him would have to pay dearly for their "politic" suppression of the most important fact: that Egypt as a nation cares even more for the Khilafat than for national independence. At the time when Zaghlul formulated his demands in Paris, Turkey was in the dust, and the Egyptian leader considered it madness, politically speaking, to clog his country's hope of independence with the championship of what he considered to be a lost cause. He admitted readily enough in private that the Egyptian people cared more for their allegiance to the Muslim Empire than they did for Nationalism, but in his *plaidoirie* on behalf of Egypt he suppressed the fact deliberately for fear lest the cry of "Pan-Islamism" should be raised against him and his nation. By so doing he helped to put the Eastern Question in a false perspective before Europe, and so contributed to the false views which have obscured it and caused the terrible mistakes which the Conference of Lausanne is summoned to redress.

The consequences to his hold on Egypt were what might have been expected. Only his sensational arrest and exile saved him from deposition as the national hero. The Nationalist Party—for whom Zaghlul is something of a "Moderate"—has gathered strength at the expense of the Zaghlulists, because it spoke the nation's real demand. The demand of the *people* of Egypt has never been for national independence pure and simple, but for national independence under the Khalifa, as part of the Islamic realm or brotherhood of nations, which, to their ideas, is one and indivisible. It was not the deposition of a Khedive and the setting up of another by the British which incensed the people of Egypt on the outbreak of the war with Turkey, but their daring to do such a thing without the sanction of the Khalifa, thus attempting to sever Egypt from the Islamic realm. And since the war the treatment meted out to Turkey and the Khilafat by England in particular has enormously increased the people's indignation. It is largely Saad Zaghlul's fault that this, the inwardness of the Egyptian problem, has not been known in Europe, until now.

Well, times have changed, and Turkey now once more appears in Europe as a Power that must be reckoned with. If Zaghlul were now at large, we fancy, that he would no longer seek to hide the loyalty of the Egyptian nation to the Khilafat of Islam, and his followers now see no reason why they should not accept the clause regarding the Khilafat in the Nationalist Party's "Patriotic Pact." If the Nationalist Party, on the other side, have made concessions to the party of Zaghlul, it can only be in the terms of their demands touching the Sudan and the Suez Canal. From the point of view of Egypt as a nation those demands are relatively unimportant. The Khilafat clause is the important point. The Zaghlulists may possibly obtain the credit for that clause in Europe, but in Egypt the people will remember how they stood away from Turkey and the Khilafat of Islam in the hour of need which is the test of faith and loyalty.

Notes of the Day

The Mahatma and Inns of Court.

According to a special cable to the "Daily Express" of Madras, from London, in the revised list of the Barristers issued by the Inns of Court, Mahatma Gandhi's name has been omitted. The views of Mahatma Gandhi on lawyers and law courts are well-known and it is common knowledge that the Mahatma had not only long ceased practising as a lawyer, but had latterly invariably described his profession as that of a farmer and weaver. To the Mahatma, therefore, the decision of the Inns of Court, which is evidently the result of his conviction, will make no difference and, so far as his countrymen are concerned, they will merely regard it as a most unedifying display of petty-mindedness. But are the Indian barristers and other members of the legal profession in the country going to accept the affront to them involved in the decision? To them it was an honour to belong to a profession of which the Mahatma was at least nominally a member. The whole world reveres him as the saintliest man living; the Inns of Court in England remove his name from their list. What is the moral? Let Indian lawyers answer.

France and Syria.

The "Westminster Gazette," according a recent Reuter's message stated that ritain will reduce her commitments in Mesopotamia if peace is arranged on a satisfactory basis at Lausanne, but that the French appear to be anxious that Britain shall retain the mandate, because they fear that otherwise the French mandate over Syria will be affected. That this does not truly represent the French view is evident from the account given in mail week by the Paris correspondent of the "Manchester Guardian" according to whom the possibility of complete change in the French policy in the Near East and particularly in the mandated territory of Syria was being hinted at in guarded terms by several papers. The Correspondent added: "It is rumoured that General Gouraud, the present High Commissioner in Syria, has resigned and that M. Franklin-Bouillon will take his place. The "Liberte," which is generally well informed on such matters, states that Gouraud resigned because his request for credits for Syria, amounting to 27 million francs, were reduced by the Government to seven millions. M. Bainville comments: "We are ourselves reducing our effort in Syria, though without making much publicity about it. The rumoured resignation of Gouraud is a sign of this. Can it be that the policy of mandates in general, so costly for the mandatory countries, may be revised altogether some day not far off? An accord on the Orient is desirable with Englishmen more reasonable and practical than Mr. Lloyd George." The mandates are, in fact, now in the melting-pot.

Mr. H. G. Wells' Manifesto.

Among the disappointing defeats at the last General Election was that of Mr. H. G. Wells, who stood at the bottom of the poll as a candidate for the London University. The universities in England are strongholds of conservatism and Mr. Wells' rejection by the London University is not surprising, having regard especially to the following striking plea for Labour which he issued on the eve of the Election:

"To-day the Labour Party stands for all the creative work in the State, from the work of the field labourer to the work of the doctor, journalist, teacher, minister, works manager, and scientific investigator, and its policy is a policy of steady, watchful, generous, comprehensive, scientific reorganisation amid the strained, shattered, wasteful, and life-destroying confusion in which we live to-day."

"Labour is not necessarily antagonistic to the interests and claims of property, honestly administered for production and the general welfare, but it is set steadfastly and systematically against all unproductive and parasitic property and against merely acquisitive business "enterprises."

"It is the only party in the State now basing its activities on principles.

"Its leading maxim is the welfare of all before the gains of any class or coterie. It charges the other parties in the State with being merely 'adventurer parties. Whether 'Liberal' or 'Conservative.' 'Whig' or 'Tory,' the principles they once followed have long since been lost in merely partisan feuds and confusions.

"The various manoeuvres of Mr. Lloyd George, the hooting 'Die-Hards' outside the Carlton Club, the mutual injuries of the 'National Liberals' and the 'Independent Liberals', the combinations, machinations, bargains, and betrayals that have filled the papers, have been the most eloquent demonstration of the complete intellectual and moral bankruptcy of the two 'historical' parties."

Mr. Wells declared himself a firm believer in the urgent need for world controls in international affairs.

"But it is," he continued, "plain common sense that such world controls must represent all the main Powers in the world, and the present League of Nations has neither the prestige nor the authority to handle the greater international issues of to-day.

"The unification of world controls is a huge task, the chief task before mankind to-day and for the coming century.

"We have all to think for it, work for it, experiment and educate for it, for the rest of our lives. Along that line of international development the Labour Party presses. Unless you support the Labour Party in that steady process of learning, organisation, and pacification, you must countenance either the dangerous British 'ascendancy' dreams of Lord Curzon and the Tories, the reckless adventurousness of Mr. Winston Churchill, the mysterious manoeuvres of Mr. Lloyd George, or the antiquated massive unteachableness of Mr. Asquith and Viscount Grey."

Labour and Indian Finance.

The Memorandum to the Inchcape Committee submitted by the Central Labour Board of Bombay consists of the expanded and more fully reasoned-out substance of the articles on "Indian Finance" by Prof. K. T. Shah which have from time to time been published in these columns. The Central Labour Board deserves to be congratulated on taking this step in constructive statesmanship as the suggestions contained in their Memorandum are at once critical and constructive. The main principles governing the recommendations contained in this Memorandum proceed on the lines of nationalising and exploiting, on behalf of the community, the profit-making ventures conducted by the State in India, to their fullest commercial capacity. The Memorandum lays stress on the fact that in departments like the Railways and the Post Office the search for increasing the revenues should not be accomplished at the sacrifice of the ideal of service to the community, but it adds that it is not impossible to reconcile the apparently conflicting requirements of public purse and of utility to the community. By increasing the services and by reducing the charges at the same time, by effecting all possible internal economies and by readjusting, where necessary, the expenses of the departments concerned, very considerable additions can be made to the net profits to the State from the Post Office and the Railways. The recommendations made in this behalf deserve careful consideration and we shall await with no little interest the pronouncement of the Inchcape Committee on them. More than a third of the memorandum is, having regard to Indian conditions to-day, naturally devoted to detailed considerations and criticisms of the military budget. The Memorandum concludes that an economy of 40 crores of rupees on the present expenditure, providing at the same time for proper reserves and an adequate Navy for purposes of education and preparation, to-day non-existent, is neither unlikely nor impossible. We doubt if the present Government of India are in a mood to accept the fundamentals of the suggestions in this regard; and we are not sure if the Inchcape Committee will have the courage to endorse the leading propositions about the objects and expenses of the Army in India which are contained in the Memorandum.

Necessary Reforms.

A remarkable feature of the Memorandum is the suggestion with regard to the public debt of India. The suggestions about reduction of the Army and its reorganisation or the elimination of the proportional principle as between the Indian and the European troops may or may not find general support in this country or outside. But a demand for the liquidation of the debt or at least its unproductive section, in the event of England refusing to take over that debt, is sure to arouse the greatest possible discussion. Alternatives are suggested such as special income tax concurrently with compulsory funding of all debts yielding a uniform rate of interest, and a special levy on all bond-holders in the aggregate resulting in the additional resources of 30 crores as against the unproductive debt charge of 20 crores per annum. But in this connection we are surprised at a glaring omission. If the Central Labour Board suggests special taxation of incomes now escaping such taxation,—and nobody could take exception to the underlying principle—we wonder why it should have omitted to take into account those other incomes earned by or accruing to foreign concerns in India like the Exchange Banks, Shipping Companies, Insurance Companies, which also escape taxation and which yet levy a very considerable tribute from India. If the total of these incomes were fairly taxed we have no doubt a special fund for debts redemption suggested in this Memorandum would be very considerably augmented. Whether or not the chief recommendations of this Memorandum are accepted by the Inchcape Committee or the Government of India, it is welcome as a definite pronouncement on behalf of Labour. The Labour Party is, of course, not yet in power even in England and the day of its power is much more distant in this country. But the educative value of such suggestions cannot be exaggerated. For our part we have no hesitation in considering that most of the recommendations contained in this Memorandum are quite sober and conservative enough to be immediately put in practice if real reform in the finances of the country is intended.

The International Labour Office.

The International Labour Organisation which came into being as a result of the Peace of Versailles has proved as ineffacacious as its elder brother, the League of Nations. Being confined only to such countries as were signatories to the Treaty of Versailles it cannot claim to speak for the Labour of the World and the exclusion of big countries like Russia, in these days of international dependence, must, with the best of intentions, mar its utility considerably. Even in its limited sphere it has not fulfilled the hopes raised at its inception, thanks to the nervousness of the very Governments which called it into being. At its first session at Washington, the International Labour Conference, on which Governments have 50 per cent. representation, passed certain Conventions and Recommendations, notably one about the Eight Hour Day, with certain modifications in favour of Oriental countries. The Eight Hour Day had even before existed in certain European countries like Great Britain, France, Belgium and Germany, but even the Governments of those countries have not yet ratified the Eight Hours' Convention. So far only Czecho-Slovakia and India have carried out their obligations under the Washington Conferences. The Japanese Government, by a clever ruse, had given the impression, which the Director, without further ado, incorporated in his Report, that its legislation regarding the 9½ hour day, under the special treatment claimed by it, had foundered on the rock of Privy Council opposition and M. Tazawa, the workmen's delegate, had to expose the hollowness of the plea during the recent session of the Conference at Genova. The silk industry in Japan, the most important one, employs numberless young women whose working day is still of 12 hours' duration and often extends to the ominous 13. Other amenities for Japanese Labour include night work for women in mines and spinning factories. The Director of the International Labour Office bestowed, in his Report, much praise upon the Government of India for giving effect to the Washington Conventions, but Mr. N. M. Joshi had to remind the Conference that though the Government were entitled to credit for what they had done, their attitude towards the Conference held at Genoa was not similarly praiseworthy. "The Director ought to have known by this time," he said, "that they had practically refused to ratify the Conventions and Recommendations. I do not know whether they ratified entirely any of the Conventions or Recommendations; they may have ratified one Convention conditionally. I do not think they have done anything more than this."

Non-European Countries.

Mr. Joshi also referred to the anomaly of the Labour Office maintaining branch offices at Berlin, London, Paris and Washington while none existed in India or Japan and pertinently asked whether the Director thought he had sufficient information about Oriental countries while he could not get information about the conditions of life and work in London and Berlin. As a result of Mr. Joshi's strenuous fight the Conference passed a resolution "requesting the Governing Body to appoint a special Commission to make a full investigation into the conditions of work and life of the working classes in Oriental countries and to present a report to be considered at the 1923 Conference relating to this important question." During the sixth sitting Mr. Joshi spoke on the question of representation of non-European countries on the Governing Body of the International Labour Office. The Government group for non-European countries was allocated 37½ per cent. of the total number of seats reserved for that group, but the workers and employers of the same countries were to have only 25 per cent. of the seats for their respective groups. In other words, the workers of the world minus Europe were to have, between themselves, *two seats* out of eight. Europe is divided into a large number of small countries, and it is possible for a European representative to represent different countries. The non-European world is cut up into a few countries, each differing radically from the other. Therefore, Mr. Joshi rightly contended, "it is not possible for the non-European representatives who come here (to the Conference) to represent countries other than their own."

CURZON ON SELF-DETERMINATION.

AMERICA FOR RIGHTS OF EASTERN PEOPLES.

ILL-OMENED BIRDS ARRIVE.

THE LATEST FROM LAUSANNE.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT AT THE PEACE CONFERENCE.)

LAUSANNE, Nov. 25, 7-30 p.m.

In spite of the lively discussion between Venizelos and Stamboulisky as a result of the Bulgarian claim to sovereignty over Dede-Aghach at the session of Friday evening, the meeting of Saturday morning shows England making every effort to maintain the cohesion of the Balkan bloc and even to extend its grouping by the adherence of the Little Entente, in order to oppose Turkey and Russia simultaneously. Benes, expected in two days, will be invited by Curzon to support his efforts. As already announced England would wish to make the settlement of Thrace depend on that of Mosul. If the question of Mosul should be treated separately, America and France would not support England. To avoid isolation in a question on which even British opinion is divided Curzon would wish to bargain consent to the 1913 frontier against an advantage on the Mosul side. At Friday evening's session concerning the neutralisation of the demilitarised frontier zone, the objection that neutralisation would necessitate control in order to prevent, the construction of military works and the deposit of munitions in the demilitarised zone and the proposal to attach this question to the discussion of the question of the Straits, can have no other object than to delay a final decision till the discussion of the frontier of Irak.

THE THRACIAN QUESTION.

This morning Ismet presented statistics proving a Turkish majority in Eastern Thrace and called attention to the fact that the Greek figures give as Greek Slavonic populations attached to the Patriarchate. Venizelos, speaking of Muslim refugees in Turkey called attention to the fact that most of them came from Anatolia and not from Thrace. Only a small number of the Turks of Thrace being successful in escaping from the vexations of the Greek authorities, most of the sufferers being exterminated on the spot, the thesis of Venizelos may be partly maintainable, but in any case it is undeniable that the refugees of Anatolia fled also from the massacres of the Greek army. Against the demand for a plebiscite in Western Thrace Nintich maintains that Yugo-Slavia is interested in Balkan peace and thinks that every territorial fragment should be attached to a State and that the autonomy of a province would only be a cause of trouble; forgetting the experiment of autonomous administration in Thrace under General Charpy before the Greek occupation, which contradicts his assertion.

Lord Curzon says that if the application of Wilson's principle of self-determination does more harm than good one should avoid it, and that if the plebiscite were applied to Constantinople the result would be unfavourable to Turkey, who has not, a majority in the Capital; while for Kara-Aghach not only is there an evident Greek majority, but situated four kilometers (less than three miles), from Adrianople it could not be considered as a quarter of that city. Speaking of Dimotika, which is also claimed by Turkey, Lord Curzon took occasion to pronounce his own eulogy as a historian, and said that it is incorrect to say that this town was the first capital of Turkey in Europe because there is no palace there but only one mosque, and Sultan Murad only stayed a few weeks in the locality before conquering Adrianople. But the noble lord was good enough to give proof of his sentiments of humanity by thinking of the unpleasantness for the citizens of Adrianople who would have to take their railway tickets in a Greek station. To avoid that inconvenience he promised the erection of a new station nearer to the city. That is the concession England makes in her name and the name of her Allies after a week's discussion!

CURZON TREATS MUDANIA CONVENTION AS SCRAP OF PAPER!

Curzon has repudiated the consent given by Harrington at the Mudania armistice and says that the protocol cannot constitute an official document and that even if the General made the promise, he would have gone beyond his instructions, but that it was not the case. Inter-Allied occupation till the conclusion of peace was all that had been decided. The attitude of Italy which, after having made an official declaration signed by Mombelli at Mudania, now takes the side of England shows that the Muslims had misplaced their confidence. At the end of the session the American delegate declares, though it has no direct bearing on the question but to make clear the position of the American delegation, that his country which had remained a mere spectator of previous Conferences. intends to take effective part in the deliberations at Lausanne and gives notice that engagements contracted outside the United States cannot be binding on that Power which desires the open door and free competition in the East and also recognition of the rights of peoples. Ismet thanks the American delegation and replies to Curzon that considers the free disposal of the peoples the best way to secure peace. He promises to make known at a later session his reply to Curzon's objection, and adds that Turkey has nothing to fear from a plebiscite in Constantinople, where the crushing Turkish majority is undeniable. In spite of the favourable declaration of the American delegation, I think it useful to remark the arrival of certain American Missionaries such as Mr. Montogomery, Member of the Federal Council of Churches and Secretary of the International Committee of Justice and Goodwill. Dr. Peet, President of the Bible House, Constantinople, Dr. Barton head of the foreign missions of America and Dr. Gates, principal of Robert College who are seeking to create an atmosphere hostile to Turkey on the questions of the Capitulations and Armenian Affairs. It must not be forgotten that American Protestant missionaries have always served British interests in the East. This evening's Conference broaches the question of the islands in the Aegean Sea. No meeting to-morrow.

PRINCIPLE OF "OPEN DOOR"

AMERICAN OBSERVER'S STATEMENT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Nov. 25.

Lausanne.—The American observer, Mr. Child, in a statement to-day, before the First Commission, emphasised that the sentiment of the American people overwhelmingly favoured the policy laid down in the memorandum of October 30th in reply to the invitation to be represented at the Conference, namely the assumption that the Allies would not carry into effect the agreements in respect of the Turkish territory which conflict with the principle of the equality of economic opportunity and the 'open door.' Mr. Child, subsequently interrogated by journalists regarding the special meaning of his statement, declined to reply.

OUTLET TO AEGEAN SEA.

The arrangement providing Bulgaria with an outlet to the Aegean Sea is regarded as the next best thing to Bulgaria's demand for the possession of Dedeagatch, though it is felt Venizelos might have stretched a point by ceding Dedeagatch and thus conciliating Bulgaria. The Turks appear pleased with the arrangement because it tends to thwart the attempt to reconstitute the Balkans League.

MOSUL TO BE RETROCEDED TO TURKEY?

The discussion in the French Press about the possibility of the retrocession of Mosul to Turkey and the rearrangement of oil interests at Mosul has excited much interest here. It is reported that Germany is interested and that German concessionaires have arrived and are in communication with Mr. Child, the American observer. Trustworthy information, however, is unobtainable.

DISCUSSION ABOUT WEST THRACE.

"ALLIES IN ABSOLUTE ACCORD."

LONDON, Nov. 26.

Lausanne.—In discussion about West Thrace by the First Commission, Marquess Curzon said that the Allies were in absolute accord on all points. He refuted the Turkish arguments in favour of the return of Karagatch to Turkey, but he proposed the cession of a small area beyond the Maritza line in order to give the Turks a small railway station, and thus establish independent communication with Adrianople.

AEGEAN ISLANDS.

Ismet Pasha urged that the Aegean islands nearest the Anatolian coast occupied by the Greeks since 1912, should be returned to Turkey, mentioning Tenedos, Imbros, and Samothrace; and urged that the remainder should be neutralised and demilitarised.

M. Venizelos replied that the bulk of the islands were entirely Greek. The feeling of the meeting was that the idea of a special regime was quite impracticable. The Commission decided to refer the question of demilitarisation to a special commission of experts.

MAHATMA GANDHI.

NAME OMITTED FROM LIST OF BARRISTERS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Nov. 24.

A special cable to the "Daily Express" reports that in the revised list of the Barristers issued by the Inns of Court Mr. Gandhi's name has been omitted.

MR. M. HAQUE AGAINST COUNCIL ENTRY.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

PATNA, Nov. 24.

Mr. Mazharul Haque writing to the "Motherland" about the non-co-operators' desire to enter into the councils says that Non-co-operation has been killed by its friends. It only remains to give it a decent burial. He cannot understand how destroying the councils would advance their cause and he can not for a moment believe they can destroy the councils.

PARLIAMENT.

DEBATE ON ADDRESS

IRISH BILLS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Nov. 24.

The House of Commons resumed the debate on the address to-day. Several members urged that steps should be taken for safeguarding the minorities in Turkey, particularly the Armenians. Mr. Fisher urged that the form the protection should take was the League of Nations.

KEEP AWAY FROM MESPOT.

Colonel Herbert complained of British interference in Mesopotamia, where, he said, British rule had been heavier than that of the Turks. "Give King Feisul advice and loans if necessary," he said, "but keep away our Battalions."

Mr. McNeill, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, said that Lord Curzon was keeping the Armenian question before the Conference at Lausanne, but Britain could not act as the policeman of the World by itself. Mr. McNeill spoke optimistically as regards the maintenance of the *Entente* at Lausanne, and added that the nations of the Little Entente were also happily in agreement with us on the main questions. He declared that the question of laying the papers relating to Mesopotamia before the House would be considered.

PREMIER INTRODUCES IRISH BILLS.

LONDON, Nov. 24.

Mr. Bonar Law introduced the Irish Free State Constitutional Bill and the Irish Free State Consequential Provisions Bill which were formally read for the first time.

There was a first division in new Parliament, this afternoon when the motion by Mr. Bonar Law, empowering the Government to take all the time of the House, in the present session, for Government business was carried by 239 votes to 135. The Labour Party opposed the motion. Mr. MacDonald said it was possible to despatch the Irish Bill but other questions, for example in connection with Lausanne, might require discussion.

TEXT OF BILLS PUBLISHED.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

The texts of the two Irish Bills have been issued. The first measure is known as the Constituent Act and incorporates provisions of the constitution and lays down that if any provision or amendment to the Constitution is repugnant to any provisions of the Treaty it shall be void and the Irish Parliament shall pass further necessary legislation. The second measure provides for the appointment of the Governor of North Ireland at a salary of £8,000 and the institution of the Privy Council and the Great Seal of Northern Ireland. The yearly contribution of £7,920,000 shall be made by North Ireland to the Imperial liabilities for two years after which the Exchequer Board shall determine the amount contributable on the basis of the relative taxable capacities of North Ireland on the one hand and Britain and Ireland on the other. It also abolishes the High Court of Appeal and the Lord Chancellorship of Ireland.

SECOND READING OF IRISH BILL.

LEAFIELD (OXFORD),
(Midnight), Nov. 26.

The second reading of the two Bills, giving effect to the Irish constitution, will be moved in the House of Commons on Monday. The "Daily Telegraph's" Parliamentary correspondent says:—"It is possible to state, on high authority, that the Law officers of the Crown, after giving the most careful consideration to the text of the Constitution, have advised the Government that it conforms, in every respect, to the articles of the Anglo-Irish Treaty. In these circumstances, the Parliament will be invited to confirm the constitution in the form in which it was approved by the Dublin Parliament, and as various opposition parties are prepared to support the Bills such criticism as there is, will come from small numbers of irreconcilable Conservatives. There will be no difficulty in passing both the Bills through all their passages by Wednesday night."—(B. O. W.)

VOTING IN PARLIAMENT.

In the first vote in the House of Commons, the Liberals voted with the Labour Party against Mr. Bonar Law's motion. Some National Liberals supported the Government, others abstained. Mr. Lloyd George did not vote.

REUNION OF TWO LIBERAL WINGS?

LEAFIELD (Oxford), Nov. 26. (Midnight)

The Parliamentary correspondents talk of the possibility of re-union of the two Liberal Parties, headed, respectively, by Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. Asquith. The subject is being freely discussed among the Liberals in Parliament. The feeling among more prominent members of the two camps is that a formal re-conciliation can surely be achieved in the immediate future, but that co-operation between the two sections should move gradually into re-union. (B. O. W.)

KING OF RUMANIA.

LONDON, Nov. 23.

Bucharest.—The report of the attempted assassination of the King of Rumania is denied.

THE CALIPH.

INVESTITURE CEREMONY

MOST IMPRESSIVE SPECTACLE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Nov. 24.

Constantinople.—There was a most impressive spectacle when the Caliph was invested to-day in bright weather at the Abdul Masjid. Wearing a frockcoat adorned with dynastic decorations, the Caliph carried himself in a most dignified manner and received the keys of gold belonging to coffers containing the sacred relics. First he opened the box which had inside the Prophet's Mantle, enveloped in forty silken covers. Each cover was devoutly kissed by the new Caliph who then unlocked the coffers in which reposed the standard, the sabre and the Beard of the Prophet, and sacred writings and heirlooms of the erstwhile Caliphs.

Naqib-ul-Ashraf, descendant of the prophet, recited prayers and the Caliph then proceeded to the inner premises where the Imperial Family, court dignitaries and high ecclesiastics standing in a semi-circle round the Golden Throne, kissed the Caliph's hand.

After this, accompanied by Rafet Pasha, the Caliph drove in State with an escort of lancers to the Mosque of Faith Mohammed where special prayers were recited.

It is interesting to note that the departures from the former ceremonies were the omission of the picturesque girding on of the Sword of Osman and the recitation of the prayer of Khutbah in Turkish instead of in Arabic.

LONDON, Nov. 24.

Constantinople.—The new Caliph was invested to-day. The ceremony passed off without incident.

PROTECTION TO EX-SULTAN

GOVT. COMMUNIQUE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

DELHI, Nov. 24.

A communique states:—The attention of the Government of India has been drawn to the suggestion which has appeared in the Press to the effect that the protection given to the ex-Sultan of Turkey on board a British Man-of-war implied the desire on the part of His Majesty's Government to create discord in the Muslim world in connection with the question of the Khilafat. There is no truth in the suggestion. The fact is of course that His Majesty's Government merely extended personal protection to the ex-Sultan at his urgent request has been frequently done in the past similar cases elsewhere. As for further suggestion to which publicity has been given that ex-Sultan is to be brought to India, it is sufficient to say that there is not and never has been any question to his being done.

EX-SULTAN'S WITHDRAWAL OF MONEY.

LONDON, Nov. 24.

Paris.—A Constantinople message says that the ex-Sultan, three days before leaving, withdrew seventy thousand Turkish pounds deposited with the Ottoman Bank in his name, and, also, obtained from the Bank an advance of fifty thousand on security of jewels.

POLICING OF CONSTANTINOPLE.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

A Constantinople message via Paris says that the commandants of the Allied police have decided to entrust the policing of the city to the Turkish police, only intervening when their own nationals are affected.

REPORTED EXPULSION OF CHRISTIANS.

AN OFFICIAL CONTRADICTION.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

An Angora message asserts that an official statement denies the reported decision to expel the whole of the Christian population from Anatolia and adds that the Christians are pursuing their occupations in peace, while those who have left have none so under the free right of movement recently allowed.

SITUATION IN GREECE.

UNCOMPROMISING ATTITUDE OF MILITARY.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

Athens.—The political situation following the revolution has been rendered more complicated by the announcement of the resignation of the Ministry. The military are adopting uncompromising attitude on the question of the ex-Ministers now being tried for treason.

GREEK CABINET RESIGNS.

M. GONATAS FORMS ANOTHER.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

Athens.—The Cabinet has resigned in consequence of the refusal of M. Zaimis to assume the Premiership following a *demarche* of the British Minister, urging the non-execution of ex-Ministers and others on a trial for treason if they are sentenced to death.

M. Gonatas is forming a Cabinet with members of the Revolutionary Committee.

Reuter learns that Hon. F. O. Hindley will break off relations, and leave Greece if the executions are carried out.

THE LAUSANNE CONFERENCE.

LOOSENING OF BALKAN BLOC.

EGYPTIAN DELEGATION'S PROTEST.

RUMANO-POLISH DIFFERENCES.

BRITAIN IN CONCILIATORY MOOD.

(From our Special Correspondent at the Peace Conference.)

LAUSANNE, Nov. 24, 6-30p.m.

The question of demilitarisation of the frontier zone having been raised at the previous session the Turkish delegation has asked for the project to be studied in a Committee which this morning agreed upon a demilitarised zone thirty kilometers on each side of the frontier of Thrace with condition of neutralisation and inviolability under guarantee of all the signatory Powers without the regime in any way impairing Turkey's right of sovereignty over the neutralised zone. This proposal will be submitted (to-morrow afternoon) to the Territorial and Military Questions Committee. Regarding the frontier of 1913 demanded by Turkey I learn from a sure source that France and Italy are in accord to recognise Turkish sovereignty over Kara-Aghach with the reservation of Di-

COUNTERPOISE.

According to presumed inclinations England would make her consent to the Thracian settlement dependent on the Mosul solution. As for the *plebiscite* for Western Thrace, the Allies seem decided to refuse it.

RUMANO-POLISH ALLIANCE.

The Roumanian attitude which up till now leaned energetically towards Greece has provoked a step on the part of Poland to call attention to the fact that the Roumano-Polish Alliance, which assures mutual aid in case of an attack on one of the contracting parties by a third Power, was concluded in the apprehension of a Russian aggression. Poland considered the alliance non-operative in the event of a Balkan war and refused participation in eventual coercive measures against Turkey. There is reason to think that this declaration will make Roumania more prudent in support of the Greek claims. On the other hand the conciliatory attitude of Turkey in the question of a Bulgarian outlet to the Aegean sea gives hope of a loosening of the Balkan *bloc*.

EGYPTIAN DELEGATION AND THE CONFERENCE.

In its demand for admission to the Conference, the Egyptian nationalist delegation emphasises that the situation of Egypt presents grave dangers likely to entail serious complications, says that the Conference of Lausanne which has met for the purpose of substituting a new treaty for the Treaty of Sevres would make an incomplete job of it if it refused to hear the representatives of the people of Egypt, and reminds that the situation in fact imposed by the English occupation in 1882 has never been legalised, and that the protocol of 1882 formally stipulating that no Power should have a right to a particular advantage to the detriment of others is opposed to the presence of Great Britain as the titular or actual protecting Power. The neutrality of the Suez Canal will remain illusory as consequence of British predominance. All Europe and the Mediterranean Powers in particular, being interested in the Egyptian settlement, the delegation refuses to recognise an arbitrary settlement by one Power only. It remarks that the delegation of which Zaghloul Pasha, exiled at Gibraltar, is president alone has a mandate to speak in the name of the nation.

PRESS CENSORSHIP AT LAUSANNE.

TO STIFLE VOICE OF TURKEY.

(From our Special Correspondent at the Peace Conference.)

(Delayed.)

LAUSANNE, Nov. 22.

The avowed object of the Inter-Allied ress censorship is not the inder the progress of discussion by Press polemics, but probably the intention is to prevent the voice of Turkey rom reaching public opinion. The Conference decided that the different delegations shall not issue statements on their own account. The general Secretariate shall after every session publish a *communique* of which the text shall be approved by the common consent of the delegations. The Allies disposing of a perfect machinery of propaganda have not ceased for several ears to work on world opinion. Turkey on the other hand, being isolated was placed a position of inferiority. She ought to ave taken the opportunity of the Conference to give wide publicity to the point of iew of the Government of the National ssembly.

CANVASSING UNITED FRONT.

The participation of America might be vourable in the questions of the Straits nd Mosul because of the opposition of the English and American maritime and economic interests, but would be disadvantageous on the questions of the minorities nd the capitulations. The proposal to admit outside Powers with the design of creating a united front of all the Western Powers against the abrogation of the capitulations is opposed by the Turkish delegation, who say they have a mandate to discuss only with the Powers mentioned in the invitation of September 23. The decision of the Indian Muslims to mention the name of the new Khalifa in the Khutba has made an excellent impression on the Turkish delegation.

DEMILITARISED ZONE

SUB-COMMISSION'S REPORT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Nov. 24.

Lausanne.—A Sub-commission's report roposes demilitarisation of a zone thirty ilometres each side of the Maritza in which limited number of gendarmerie shall be aintained, and the formation of an ternational Commission charged with the uty of constructing a free port at Dedeatch or in the neighbourhood of that lace. The Commission will supervise the ort and the railway and will probably onsist of representatives of Britain, rance, Italy, Bulgraia, Turkey, Yugolavia and Rumania.

LATER.

A session of the First Commission is onsidering the Sub-commission's report. ulgaria has added a reservation to the effect that a direct and unhampered possession of a port is necessary to her overas commerce. Ismet Pasha, in consenting to the demilitarisation proposal, declared that Turkey was making sacrifices nd he suggested the establishment of nrantees for the inviolability of the demilitarised zone. M. Venizelos and Stanoff agreed to the necessity of guarantees, oncerning which the discussion developed; ut it has been decided to postpone the atter until discussion over other zones xmes up before the Conference.

ARRANGEMENT REACHED.

Lausanne.—An arrangement has been reached providing Bulgaria with an outlet to the Aegean.

DEMILITARISATION.

It appears that all the parties, including Ismet Pasha, have agreed as to demilitarisation of thirty kilometre zone mentioned earlier. The zone will apparently cover the whole of the East Thracian frontier from the Aegean to the Black Sea.

SUB-COMMISSION'S REPORT ADOPTED.

LEAFIELD (OXFORD),
(Midnight), Nov. 26.

The Territorial Commission of the Lausanne Conference, yesterday, adopted the Sub-Commissions report on the demilitarisation of the Maritza frontier. The report provides for demilitarisation of [illegible] kilometres on each side of the [illegible] Some kind of guarantee for the [illegible] lity of this zone will be devised. T[illegible] national Commission will be appo[illegible] supervise a free port to be constru[illegible] Dedeagatch, also a railway connec[illegible] port with Bulgaria.

It is understood that vi[illegible] all neutral and maritime [illegible] interested in the Capitulation treatise [illegible] Turkey will be represented in the forthcoming discussion on the Capitulations at the Lausanne Conference. Many are appointing as their representatives their respective Ministers to Berne, together with experts, selected from among such members of their Diplomatic Consular or Judicial staffs as have had experience of the Turkish administration and justice.

AGREEMENT WITH ALLIES.

LEAFIELD (OXFORD),
Nov. 26.

Mr. McNeill, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, stated in the course of a debate on the King's speech in the House of Commons that Government was endeavouring to get as complete an agreement as possible with those nations with whom we had been in agreement during the war and with whom we had fought during the war. The first object which Lord Curzon was pursuing at Lausanne was to get the Entente together, and he was happy to be able to assure the House that so far as we had gone up to present that point had not merely been kept in view but was being very successfully observed, and that not only Governments of France and Italy but also States of the Little Entente were equally happily in agreement with the British Government upon all main questions.—(B. O. W.)

BULGARIAN OUTLET.

LONDON, Nov. 24.

Lausanne.—Stambuliski, addressing the first Commission, to-day, on the subject of Bulgaria's outlet to the Aegean Sea said that Bulgaria proposed if West Thrace was not constituted an autonomous region it should be restored to its position as a neutral zone under the protection of the Powers. It was impossible that the Bulgarian outlet should traverse Greek or Turkish territory.

EGYPTIAN OFFICIAL DELEGATION TO LAUSANNE.

LONDON, Nov. 24.

Cairo.—It is understood that Britain as asked the French and Italian Governents to associate themselves with Britain n inviting the Egyptian Government to nd an official delegation to the Lausanne onference in order to represent its views when the position of Egypt was discussed.

RAILWAYMEN'S CONFERENCE.

GRATUITY, EQUALITY OF PAY, CORRUPT PRACTICES

SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

The second session of the All-India Railwaymen's Conference resumed deliberations on Saturday at the Workmen's Institute, Mr. C. F. Andrews, presiding.

The following among the resolutions that were passed.

Rai Saheb Chandrikaprasad moved and Mr. C. T. Wheeler seconded.

"That this Conference urges the Government of India to amend the India Railways Act by inserting provisions for the constitution of Central Wages Board and the National Wages Board for settling disputes concerning wages and conditions of service and for making it obligatory on Railway Companies to establish Councils, on the lines of the Railways Act 1921 (11 & 12 Geo. V.) part IV. with modifications suitable to Indian conditions."

Rai Saheb Chandriprasad in supporting the resolution said that the position of the subordinate employees on the Indian Railways was very unsatisfactory. In matters of their wages and conditions of service the Government of India had left everything to the discretion of the railway administrations which in turn left the matters to the discretion of the heads of departments; and so on. The general policy of the Indian Railways was to keep the higher officials well pleased and they were in consequence allowed all sorts of privileges; and allowances, while the subordinate employees were generally starved out.

The resolution was passed unanimously:

STRIKE AND GRATUITIES.

Mr. C. Bhukhandas then moved, Mr. V. P. Rele seconded and Mr. C. T. Malgi supported that:—

"That this Conference expresses its gratitude to the Secretary of State for India and the Governor-General in Council for abrogating the rule rendering a strike, a break in continuity of service, but respectfully urges that retrospective effect should be given by extending this relief to all employees whether in service at present or not, and in case of that of any employee, the relief should be made available to his next of kin.

(b) That this Conference apprehends that the qualifying provision that the strike be not illegal would nullify the value of the abrogation of the rule, unless it is clearly defined by law what constitutes an illegal strike and urges that such definition be given.

(c) That this Conference calls the attention of the Government to the attitude of the Railway authorities who hold that it is entirely optional for them to give effect to the resolution of the Government regarding the rescission of the old rule and requests the Government to issue instructions to them, intimating them that the relief is obligatory and not optional.

(d) That this Conference urges that the limit of the minimum number of 15 years' service before gratuity becomes payable, be removed and gratuity should be made payable at the rate of one month's pay for every year's service from the very first year.

(e) That this Conference further urges that in case of the death of an employee, the gratuity be given to his heirs, whether dependent on him or otherwise."

The proposition was passed unanimously.

Mr. F. Jamshedji proposed and Mr. C. T. Malgi seconded:—

"That this Conference welcomes Draft Bill No. 27 of 1922 regarding compensation for workmen in case of accidents, but regrets to observe that the compensation clauses are very inadequate, and urges in particular that in case of death, five years' wages should be allowed without any limit as to maximum.

On taking vote the resolution was passed unanimously.

EQUAL PAY FOR EQUAL WORK.

On the motion of Mr. Amarsingh Shivtam seconded by Mr. T. S. Gawad the following resolution was put to vote and passed unanimously:—

"That this Conference reaffirms the resolutions of last year regarding racial discrimination and insists upon its total abolition, not only in theory but also in practice: meanwhile it welcomes Colonel Waghorn's answer to an interpellation in the Legislative Council, announcing that the rule fixing the maximum salaries of Indian drivers, shunters and guards at two-thirds the rate for Europeans, will be omitted from the revised edition of the Code, but regrets that in practice it is still enforced, and requests Government to direct all Railway Administrations to immediately allow Indian drivers, shunters and guards, the same salaries as are allowed to Europeans upon the principle of equal pay for equal work."

CORRUPT PRACTICES.

Mr. Bhagwandas Naravendas then proposed and Mr. D. B. Shinde seconded; and it was carried unanimously:—

"That this Conference enters its emphatic remonstrance against the corrupt practices prevailing in the workshops throughout India, in connection with appointments, promotions and dismissals; and calls upon the Government to appoint a strong, independent and impartial Committee to investigate and report upon the subject. The Committee should consist of an equal number of representatives nominated by Railway Administrations, Railway Unions or Federations and the Legislative Assembly."

OVERCROWDING IN THIRD CLASS.

The following resolution was then moved from the Chair and passed unanimously:—

"That this Conference respectfully calls attention of the Railway Board to the neglect of the Third-Class Passengers' conveniences on the Indian railways and overcrowding that is taking place, and urges that immediate steps be taken to improve and increase accommodation which at present is provided."

The chairman in putting the resolution before the Conference observed that he had written to the Railway Board as well as Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, the Leader of the Labour Party in regard to the gratuity question, etc., and he hoped Mr. Ramsay Macdonald would take up the question in Parliament in this regard.

The resolution was passed unanimously.

The Conference then adjourned till Sunday.

"AMELIORATE 3RD CLASS CONDITIONS"

PLEA FOR JUSTICE TO "MENIAL STAFF".

The Second All-India Railwaymen's Conference concluded its deliberations yesterday evening, Mr. C. F. Andrews presiding.

The Conference reaffirmed some of the resolutions that were passed last year.

RESOLUTIONS PASSED.

The following resolutions were then passed seriatim:—

VI

"This Conference views with dismay and submit its emphatic protest against the reduction of experienced and skilful mechanics in the G. I. P. shops and replacing them by Chinamen on an average of double the rate of pay for the same nature and amount of work. Those men be reinstated or their gratuity be paid to them."

VII

"This Conference draws the attention of the Administration to the inhuman treatment meted out to the poor coolies, males and females, who are carried in open Ballast Waggons in the burning heat of the sun or in rain, or cold. Shelter be afforded to these workers, whether employed by Railway or Contractor."

VIII

"Resolved that a complete prospectus showing rules, regulations, and privileges allowed by Railways to their old and new employees be notified to every employee in a booklet."

IX

"This Conference is of opinion that Agents and Managers of Indian Railways, in making grants from the Fine Funds, to individuals or communal institutions, will make adequate grants to Indians and Indian Institutions which is not being done at present."

X

"Resolved that the Railway Board be requested to remove the restriction in the issue of foreign Railway passes to daily pay staff and that the free pass rule be so amended as to include parents and children without restriction as to number; and rules regarding the interchange of free passes be uniform of all Railways in India."

XI

"This Conference warmly congratulates Mr. Shapurji D. Suklatwalla for his election as Member of Parliament and thanks the voters of South Battersea for electing him.

"This Conference authorises the President and Secretary to send suitable telegrams to Mr. Suklatwalla and the Mayor of Battersea for the purpose."

XIII

"This Conference resolves that the Running staff of all Railways in India should get the same average allowance of 75 per cent allowed to the Running Staffs of the M. & S. M. E. I. and N. W. Railways under Railway Boards Circular Letter dated the 19th September, 1919."

XIV

"This Conference records its emphatic protest against the Ruling of the Home Department of the Government of India, making communications of individual grievances of Railwaymen to Members of the Legislative Assembly and the Council of State—a breach of the Government Servants' Conduct Ru.

XV

RIGHT WAY TO RETRENCH.

"This Conference trusts that Lord Inchcape's Retrenchment Committee will thoroughly investigate the numerous items of actual expenditure incurred on Indian Railways, both on Capital and Revenue accounts and will order substantial retrenchment actually necessary, taking into consideration the large increase in the number of superior officers and liberal increases to the salaries of higher officials generally allowed during recent years."

XVI

"This Conference appoints the following gentlemen as the Standing Committee to carry on all correspondence in connection with the Conference during the interval:—

1. Rev. Mr. C. F. Andrews,—President.
2. Rai Saheb Chandrikaprasad,—Vice-President.
3. Mr. Baptista
4. Mr. Ginwalla.
5. Mr. Bhukandas C.
6. Mr. Motilall A.
7. Mr. S. H. Jhabwalla,—Secretary.
8. Mr C. T. Wheeler

with powers to add.

XVII

"This Conference urges Government to nominate one Delegate on behalf of Railwaymen in India for the International Labour Conference and suggest that Rai Saheb Chandrikaprasad be nominated as a delegate for the ensuing Conference with Mr. Motilall and Mr. C. T. Wheeler, as advisers."

XVIII

"This Conference strongly urges all the Executives of Railway Unions in India and Burma to send their representatives with full powers to meet and settle the two questions of a Federation of All Railwaymen and the formation of an All-India Railwaymen's Board."

XIX

"This Conference views with regret the attitude of the Government of India towards the resolution of the Washington Conference, regarding the adoption of an eight hour day, and trusts that the Government will abandon its present attitude and take practical action towards the realization of the eight hour day on the Railways and Railway Workshops as well as in all other industrial concerns."

PRESIDENT'S CONCLUDING SPEECH.

The President speaking about need for unity of action of by the different Indian Railway Systems said: In this respect the last resolution of this Conference is of the utmost importance. Let me explain it. We propose to ask the different Executive of all the Railway Unions of India and Burma to send each of them a representative to Allahabad early in January with plenipotentiary powers (1) to decide once and for all the question of the Railway Federation and (2) to elect a Board representing the Railway Unions which shall be ready to meet the Railway Board of the Government of India itself. I do not think that there is any single act we can take of greater importance for the whole railway system of India and Burma than the formation of an authoritative Railway Labour Board, representing the Railway employees as a whole which the Government Railway Board will meet face to face on equal terms. I shall do all I can if I am able to go North to win the consent of the Northern Railway Unions to such a meeting of Executive representatives of all the Railways with plenipotentiary powers. We have talked of Federation long enough. The time has come for action.

PAY OF "MENIAL STAFF."

I would conclude the Conference by emphasising still further this one supreme point which appeals to me far more than anything else, namely the care and consideration of the poor. I wish to state once more in the most emphatic terms I can use, that the lack of consideration for the poor, which is now seen on all sides exhibited on the Indian Railways, makes them a standing disgrace to humanity in this civilised world of ours. I have made railway journeys—in almost every part of the world and I have constantly travelled in the third class as well as other classes on all kinds of Railway systems, but I have not seen in any other country such misery and such overcrowding as I have witnessed on the third class Railway system in India. The patience of this most patient people in the world, the Indian people has been nearly exhausted. It is a matter of the utmost regret to me to have seen year after year how completely the universal sentiments of the people of India have been flouted and insulted. I would again in this connection repeat the serious warning that I gave in my opening address, that the very safety of the public is actually imperilled by the present condition of things, when what is so contemptuously called the 'menial staff' is so underpaid and underfed that the body and soul are perpetually half-starved. I would press again and again in the name of humanity that those who are in supreme authority in allocating this pay to what is called the menial staff, and also in arranging for the third class accommodation of the poor, should not rest at ease—until they have done all that is in their power individually and corporately to remedy these most serious evils.

NEED FOR UNITY.

I end this Conference as I began: let us be united: let us get rid of all racial distinctions: let us run our railways on a truly economic scale, suitable to the conditions of a poor country like India, providing simplicity and decency, but not extravagance and luxury. Above all, let us in all our undertakings, first and last *remember the poor.*

Mr. B. F. Bharucha, proposing a vote of thanks to the President fervently appealed to the workmen to be firm and united.

Rai Saheb Chandrikaprasad seconded.

The vote of thanks was carried with acclamation, all standing.

On the motion of Mr. F. Ginwalla a vote of thanks was, next, accorded to the Chairman of the Reception Committee.

After the President and the Chairman had been garlanded, the Conference came to a successful close.

PRINCES PROTECTION ACT.

LORD READING'S DESPATCH TO SECRETARY OF STATE.

(Associated Press.)

DELHI, Nov. 25.

A Gazette Extraordinary publishes Lord Reading's despatch to the Secretary of State, dated 12th October, regarding the Indian States (Protection against disaffection) Act and the Secretary of State's reply the 14th November, fully approving of the Governor-General's action under section 67B of the Government of India Act. Lord Reading emphasises that the Press Act committee's finding that no protection was required was merely a finding that the evidence before the committee did not show that such protection was necessary. Immediately thereafter complaints of attack were received from certain important princes and further evidence began to accumulate. Inquiries were made which showed that practically all the states and an overwhelming majority of political authorities were in favour of protection. Leave to introduce the Bill which the head of the Government had vouched for was rejected in a summary fashion by the Assembly. The special powers vested in the Governor-General had to be used as Government owed to the States a debt both under engagements and in honour. In view of the wording of the section in the Government of India Act he decided, not without regret, that the amendments ought not to be accepted in the Council of State as the Bill was to be passed without iteration. The Secretary of State expressed full approval of Lord Reading's action and promised to take further steps required under the Act.

A MAHANT SUBMITS TO S. G. P. C.

(Associated Press.)

AMRITSAR, Nov. 25.

The Mahant of Naamakote Gurdwara in Gurdaspur District was reported to have submitted to the S. G. P. C. authority on Saturday and to have made a statement at the Golden Temple to the effect that having handed his Gurudwara over to the S. G. P. C. he was willing to accept whatever they choose to give him for his maintenance.

The Udasin Mahamandal in a communique state that the Government will repent for the lenient way in which they have permitted the Akalis to have their own way everywhere and that the Akalis having obtained all Gurudwaras will not be satisfied but will next want the whole of the Punjab.

The Additional District Magistrate of Lahore has sentenced Gyani Harisingh, late editor of the "Akali" to six months' rigorous imprisonment for sedition. The accused is already undergoing a sentence of imprisonment in a previous case and this sentence will commence after the expiry of the first.

Official and Personal.

It is understood that Mr. G. B. Sim. C. S. Member, Board of Indian Revenue, will officiate as Secretary, Finance Department, Government of India, during the period the Hon. Mr. Cook will act as the Finance Member.

Mr. W. S. J. Wilson, M. L. A., has been appointed a member of the Standing Emigration Committee vice Sir Edgar Holberton resigned.

The Hon. Mr. Justice Panton of the Calcutta High Court has been confirmed vice the Hon. Mr. Justice Teunon retired.

It is understood Sir Ludovic Porter, Finance Member, retires from service on the 18th January next under medical advice.

Sir William Vincent has left Government House, Patna, for Calcutta.

Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Willingdon arrived at Bobbili on Nov. 24th and were the recipients of a magnificent reception. The chief function of the day at Bobbili was the opening by her Excellency of the Maharani's girls schools built by the Maharaja of Bobbili. At night after attending the banquet their Excellencies and the party left for Parliakimedi.

Her Excellency Lady Lloyd visited the Children of the Garrison School, Kirkee on Saturday morning and Her Excellency attended the marriage ceremony of the daughter of Sardar Dastur Kaikobad Nosherwan in the afternoon.

The District Magistrate Salem has ordered the people in the second Agraharam and other streets of the town to evacuate their houses since the streets are infected with plague. (A. P.)

MR. ERSKINE CHILDERS.

SUFFERS EXTREME PENALTY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Nov. 24.

Mr. Erskine Childers was executed at seven o' clock this morning, and is believed to have been shot. Official Army reports state that Mr. Childers was tried by the Military Court at Portobello Barracks, Dublin, on November 17th, on a charge of possessing an automatic pistol without proper authority, when apprehended by the National forces, on November 10th at Annamoe House County Wicklow. He was found guilty and sentenced to death, the report concludes.

ATTACK BY IRREGULARS.

The belief that Mr. Childers would be executed led to heavy abortive attacks by the irregulars on the National Army posts in Dublin, last night. The execution caused a sensation in the city, some approving of it and some disapproving of it. It is recalled that De Valera recently threatened bloodshed if Mr. Childers were executed. It is believed that Mr. Childers dominated Mr. De Valera and was the military brain of the rebel movement.

PRESS COMMENTS.

LEAFIELD (OXFORD), (Midnight), Nov. 26.

London newspapers, while they express regret at the fate that has befallen Mr. Erskine Childers who was executed yesterday by the Irish Free State authorities, agree that the latter had no other choice.

The "Daily Chronicle" states:—"Mr. Childers was an irreconcilable Republican who refused to accept the verdict of the country and the newly-elected Parliament. He with Mr. De Valera split the Irish army and went into open rebellion. Defeated in the field he pursued more underground and furtive methods of ambushers and night assassins. Finally, after a period of grace offered by the Government had expired he was caught with arms in his possession."

"The Times" says:—"He challenged the only constituted authority in his country. That authority had no choice save to accept his challenge or to abdicate all title to lawful trusteeship for the welfare of the Free State."

The "Westminster Gazette" remarks:—"When a small minority, having submitted a question to the country, seriously claim that the people who will not take their view are in rebellion against them, nothing is to be said."—(B. O. W.)

LONDON, Nov. 25.

This morning's papers—in their leading articles—seem to be agreed that the Free State authorities had no choice but to accept Mr. Childers' challenge or to abdicate all title to lawful trusteeship for the welfare of the State. Even the "Daily News" terms their case as overwhelmingly strong. The "Times" believes that the verdict of civilised world will be that the decision was right. The accounts of Mr. Childers speak highly of his bravery, devotion and loyalty, and they deplore such a sad end to promising a life. Articles dwell, however, upon the almost irreparable injury which the fanaticism of Mr. Erskine Childers inflicted on his adopted country. Seven of the eight men who, with Mr. Childers, were concerned in the Habeas Corpus case, have received sentences varying from five years' penal servitude to twelve months imprisonment. One has been acquitted.

IRELAND PREGNANT WITH UGLY POSSIBILITIES.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

The situation in Ireland for the next few days is pregnant with ugly possibilities in consequence of the Republican reprisals which are feared may follow the execution of Mr. Erskine Childers, though the Republicans are probably too weakened; otherwise, they might seriously embarrass the Free State Government. Dublin has been deeply stirred by the execution, but there is reason to hope that this resolute action will strengthen the forces of order. It is stated that, prior to his execution, precaution was taken of moving Mr. Childers frequently from barrack to barrack.

DE VALERA'S LIEUTENANT.

LEAFIELD (Oxford), Nov. 25.

Mr. Erskine Childers, who was Mr. De Valera's chief lieutenant and was mainly responsible for the irreconcilable movement in the Irish Free State, was executed at 7 o'clock this morning by the Free State military authorities. He had been found guilty by a Court Martial and sentenced to death for having been in possession without proper authority, of an automatic pistol when apprehended by a party of national forces. This had been made a capital offence by the Free State, in pursuance of their endeavour to restore order.

Four other prisoners had already been executed for a similar offence. Mr. Childers' friends appealed to the civil courts in Dublin for an act of Habeas Corpus. The Judge, however, held that the jurisdiction of the Civil Courts had been ousted by the state of war which Mr. Childers himself had helped to introduce.—B. O. W.

DUBLIN QUIET

SOCIALISTS ATTACK MINISTER OF FOOD.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

Dublin is quiet, the feeling of uneasiness created by the execution of Mr. Erskine Childers having apparently disappeared.

CONVICTED OF POSSESSING OF ARMS

LONDON, Nov. 25.

Eight men, convicted of the possession of arms in Belfast, were to-day, sentenced to periods of penal servitude between seven and three years in length in addition to lashes of the cat or the strokes of birch.

"AGENCIES OF WARFARE."

4 POWERS' MEETING AT HAGUE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LEAFIELD, Nov. 25.

The British Empire, France, Italy and Japan will meet at the Hague, on December 11th next, to consider the possible changes which may have been rendered necessary in the laws of war by the introduction or development since the Hague Conference of 1907 of the new agencies of warfare. This is in accordance with the first resolution of the Washington Conference, of February 4, 1922. The jurisdiction of the Commission is limited, by the second resolution of the same date, to the examination and recommendations regarding the rules of international law respecting the new agencies of warfare. The rules or declaration relating to submarines or the use of noxious gases and chemicals which have already been adopted by the Powers will not be reviewed. The British Delegates will be Sir Rennell Rodd, formerly Ambassador at Rome, and Sir Cecil Hurst, Legal Advisor to the Foreign Office. There will also be representatives from the Air Ministry, the Admiralty and War Office.—B. O. W.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

A Commission consisting of representatives of the United States, the British Empire, France, Italy, and Japan, will meet at the Hague, on December 11th, to consider possible changes in the laws of war laid down by the Hague conference of 1908.

WASHINGTON AGREEMENT.

M. LEYGUE'S ALLEGED STATEMENT.

LONDON, Nov. 24.

New York.—The "Tribune's" Washington Correspondent, referring to M. Leygues' alleged statement that the Foreign Affairs Committee of the French Chamber of which he is a Chairman would report against the Washington agreement says that the Government's advices point to France's early ratification of the Naval Pact.

The "New York American" alone refers to the probability of the Government asking whether M. Leygues' attitude, is the policy of M. Poincare.

Paris.—M. Leycues states that he gave no interview to the "Chicago Tribune" in regard to the Washington Treaty. (This refers to the message of yesterday's date from Paris which stated that M. Leycues had told the "Chicago Tribune's" Paris correspondent that the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Chamber would report against the Washington agreement.)

SCAPA FLOW SINKINGS.

BRITISH EMBASSY'S DENIAL.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

Washington.—The British Embassy statement takes exception to the recent declaration made by M. Clemenceau that Britain "secured a guarantee on her national safety" by the sinking of the surrendered German fleet in Scapa Flow in 1919. The Embassy denies any implication that the British authorities wilfully permitted the sinkings.

M. CLEMENCEAU CONTRADICTS.

LONDON, Nov. 26.

Newhaven. Connecticut.—M. Clemenceau has declared that he did not charge the British with wilfully permitting the sinking of the German Fleet at Scapa Flow.

The Judge said that gunmen infesting the city must be put down.

REMOVAL OF POLITICAL PRISONERS.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

Four hundred political prisoners were removed from the gaol in Limerick to-day, and conveyed to the docks under a heavy escort. There they were placed aboard the steamer which departed for an unknown destination.

GERMANY AND REPARATIONS.

LONDON, Nov. 24.

Berlin.—In Reichstag, Herr Cuno, the new Chancellor stated that the new Government was firmly resolved to execute Dr. Wirth's programme outlined in the note to Reparations Commission on Nov. 13th. Germany must have a complete moratorium for the reparations payments, in cash and in kind, except deliveries for the devastated regions, for three or four years, and must obtain a loan of 500 million gold marks reestablish her finances. The Government would do everything possible to discharge Germany's obligations as a loser of the war, especially in regard to the devastated regions, but Germany's vital requirements must first be provided.

Referring to the Rhineland, he said that the Government would never surrender the occupied German territory.

REICHSTAG ADJOURNS.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

Berlin.—The Reichstag has adjourned until December 4th after a statement by Herr Cuno that the investigation of the Cabinet absolved Herr Mueller of the charge of a treasonable attitude. The Socialists made a sensational attack on Herr Mueller, Minister for Food, whom they accused of complicity in a separatist movement in the Rhineland. Herr Mueller repudiated the accusation and the Chancellor promised an investigation. Herr Mueller subsequently resigned.

DETERMINED TO SEE PREMIER.

CALL FOR "REINFORCEMENTS" FROM PROVINCES.

LONDON, Nov. 24.

Following the failure of the further efforts to secure a conference with the Premier, the organisers of the unemployed have issued a manifesto in which they affirm their intention of remaining in London until the Premier grants an interview and call on the Provinces to despatch "reinforcements" immediately.

UNEMPLOYMENT IN ENGLAND.

LEAFIELD, Nov. 25.

Though unemployment is at present, widespread in England, there is a certain amount of optimism in Sheffield regarding the steel trade. Mr. Cower, Managing Director of a firm manufacturing steel rails, said to-day he believed the bulk of unemployment in Sheffield would have passed away by the spring. Large orders for locomotives wagons, carriages, and other railway material were expected. The feature of foreign exchanges to-day, was sharp fluctuation in quotation of the German marks. At one time quotation rose to 33 000 but subsequently rallied and close at 32,000, which, however, is still considerably weaker on the day.—B. O. W.

INDIAN FLYING SERVICES.

LONDON, Nov. 24.

The "Morning Post" announces that Air Vice-Marshal Philip Game, to be given the command of the flying services of India, sails in December to assume his appointment, which, it is understood, is the result of Sir John Salmond's tour of inspection. The Royal Air Force in India will be increased by at least three squadrons.

INTER ALLIED MILITARY MISSION'S PROTEST.

LONDON, Nov. 24.

Berlin.—The Inter-Allied military mission has strongly protested to the German Government with regard to the crowd attacking British and French control officers at Ingolstadt. The Commission will immediately send officers of various nationalities to Munich to reinforce the district Committee to show the German Government that the result of such incidents will be a considerable tightening up of the inter-Allied control.

LEAGUE AND ANTHRAX COMMITTEE

LONDON, Nov. 25.

The League of Nations Labour Office announces that the International Advisory Committee on anthrax will meet in London next month under the chairmanship of Sir William Middlebrook. Experts nominated from various countries include Sir Thomas Oliver (Australia), Lieutenant-Colonel Hutchinson (India), Mr. Dixon (South Africa) and Doctor Hoskiai (Japan).

REFUSAL TO PAY TAXES.

PARIS WOMEN SUFFRAGISTS' DECISION.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

The Paris women suffragists have decided systematically to refuse to pay taxes till they are granted the vote following the Senate's action of the 21st November, when the Women's Suffrage Bill was rejected by 156 votes against 134.

LT. COL. EVANS' APPOINTMENT IN QUEENSLAND

LONDON, Nov. 25.

In pursuance of a request of the Queensland Government, the former Indian Army Officer and ex-Director of Agriculture in Bengal, Lieutenant-Colonel G. Evans, has accepted, for three years, the appointment, under the Empire Cotton-Growing Corporation, and proceeds to Queensland at the end of the year to advise on cotton-growing generally in that State. The Commonwealth Government has also asked the Corporation for the services of an expert, and, accordingly, Lieut.-Colonel Evans will, possibly, later, report on other parts of Australia in which cotton-growing is considered to possess possibilities.

CABLE ITEMS.

Rome.—The death has occurred of Baron Sonnino.

It is stated that Mr. Lloyd George has signed a contract to supply an American news agency with a series of articles on international topics, the first of which is to appear in December.

Mr. Edward Panton has been appointed Puisne Judge, Fort William, in succession Sir W. Teunon.

The King received in audience Sir William Marris on his appointment to the vernorship of the United Provinces.

The retirement of Sir James Willcocks gazetted.

A verdict of "Accidental Death" was returned at an inquest at Shoreham, yesterday on Major George Wilkins, who had retired from India, and whose body was found in a river on Friday. It was stated that the deceased had been cycling home when he probably took a wrong road and cycled into the river.

RAWALPINDI RIOT CASE.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, Nov. 25.

In the Rawalpindi riot case ten Congress-Khilafat volunteers have been sentenced to one year's rigorous imprisonment each for being members of unlawful assembly and rioting. One has been sentenced to six months and three have been acquitted.

SPORTING NEWS.

CALCUTTA RACES.

RESULTS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, Nov. 25.

THE MAIDEN HOUSE PLATE.—Distance 6 furlongs.
Mr Gujdhar's PRAGUE 9-3 Baker 1
Mr Das' ELECTRIC 8-7 Northmore 2
Mr Pemick's CYNOSURUS 8-7 Townsend ... 3
Mr. Gregson's SHAN JUNIOR 8-4 Harrison 4
Totalizators paid:—Winner Rs. 18¼; Places Rs. 12 and Rs. 12.

THE CLUB PLATE. Division I.—Distance 1 mile.
Maharaj Kumar Victor Narayan's COUPLET 6-7 Ritchie 1
Mr Dees' SIMPLE SIMON 8-7 Barnet 2
Mr Main's STAPLES 8-11 Hutchins 3
Mr Roy's JAUNT 8-2 Northmore 4
Totalizators paid:—Winner Rs. 38; Places Rs. 16, Rs. 46½ and Rs. 23¼.

THE CANAL HURDLE PLATE.—Distance 1 3/4 miles.
Mr Gilford's JOYSHIP 9-4 Seastream 1
Mr Lindsay's TYCOON 9-0 (car 9-1) Murrell 2
Mr Gregory's JAZZBAND 9-0 3
Mr Malony's KING OF BEES 11-2 Baker ... 4
Totalizators paid:—Winner Rs. 102½; Places Rs. 19½, Rs. 15½ and Rs. 23½.

THE CRITERION PLATE.—Distance 6 furlongs.
Mr Thaddeus' DIVIDE 8-11 Ruiz and Mr. Galstaun's SOLO BRIDGE 8-2 Townsend dead heat. .....
Mr Lauder's ALLAN BRING 7-5 Sieley ... 3
General Raja Sir Hari Singh's SUNSTROKE 7-13 Northmore 4
Totalizators paid:—Winner Rs. 24½ and Rs. 24. Places Rs 16, Rs. 17 and Rs. 25.

THE CLUB PLATE. Division II.—Distance 1 mile.
General Raja Sir Hari Singh's PRIME BOY 8-12 Baker 1
Maharaj Kumar Victor Narayans of Cooch Bihar's CURATOR 8-8 Ritchie 2
Mr Avasia's WOLFRAM 8-5 Townsend 3
Mr Gregory's DEMON 8-2 Sleigh 4
THE CLUB PLATE. Division III.—Distance 1 mile.
Mr Tutwiler's ANZIO 8-7 Harrison 1
Mr Cunningham's ANGHNECLOY 7-11, Northmore 2
Mr Hag's MOONFLOWER 8-0 Walker 3
Lt-Col Tenment's BEPPO STAR 8-7 Andes 4
Totalizators paid:—Winner Rs. 52½; Places Rs. 19 Rs. 19 and Rs. 47½
THE PEEL PLATE.—Distance 6 furlongs.
Mr Galstaun's SLOW COACH 10-5 Townsend 1
Mr Roy's BACHELOR GIRL 7-8 Northmore 2
H H the Maharani of Cooch Behar's FANCY FAIR 9-0 Ritchie and Mr. Dees' IRISH MOLLY 7-5 H Mcquade dead heat 3
Totalizators paid:—Winner Rs. 43½; Places Rs. 12½, Rs. 12½, Rs. 11 and Rs. 18.

KARACHI RACES.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

KARACHI, Nov. 25.

Autumn Meeting—Third Day.

THE TIGRIS HURDLES.—Distance 2 miles over 7 flights
Capt R Georges' JOUJOU 11-0 Capt Creagh 1
Lt C E Steel's DUTCH GALLANT 9-12 Horraway 2
Lt E Talbot's GLAXO 11-7 Mr Orchard ... 3
Tote paid:—Win Rs. 18; Places Rs. 11 and Rs. 9.

THE SIND CLUB CUP.—Distance 7 furlongs.
Major W G Elphinston's CHUNGIZ 7-6 Jones 1
Lt-Col H Stewart's CARLISLE 8-13 Quinn 2
Mr Jer Caesar's DIAMOND KING 9-10 Fownes 3
Tote paid:—Win Rs. 9; Places Rs. 6 and Rs. 7.

THE MANORA HANDICAP.—Distance 1 mile.
Major H Exham's BRENOCK 8-9 Harraway 1
Capt Hoggkin's WANGY 10-0 Capt Jerrom 2
Sergt F S Marshall's LORRAINE 8-0 Jones 3
Tote paid:—Win Rs. 8; Places Rs. 5 and Rs. 5.

THE PADDOCK HANDICAP.—Distance Race Course.
Mir Ahmed Khan's CHEHO 10-7 Akbar Ali 1
Malick Shah Jehan's MUJLOON 11-0 Abdulla 2
Mr R G Govan's DISPUTE 9-0 Quinn 3
Tote paid:—Win Rs. 6; Places Rs. 6 and Rs. 7.

THE MALIR HANDICAP.—Distance Race Course.
Major C B Jackson's SENSFORD 12-0 Owner 1
Mr H F P Hearson's SANDOOLA 10-0 Mr. Orchard 2
Mr M A J Aldrich's DARKNIGHT 9-0 Fownes 3
Tote paid:—Win Rs. 9; Places Rs. 6 and Rs. 5.

MANCHESTER NOVEMBER HANDICAP.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

THE PROBABLES.

LONDON, Nov. 24.

Ugly Duckling (Doyle,) Quilp (Crickmere), orth Waltham (Hulme), Snowball (Ingham). Omit Jazzband.

The following additions are the probable starters in the Manchester November Handicap.—North Waltham, Snowball and The Alder. No jockeys have been specified.

BETTING.

The latest betting is as follows:—
Seventy-five to twenty against Crevasse
Eleven to two against Torelore.
Seventeen to two against Irish Belfry.
Hundred to nine against Elunyd.
Eighteen to one against Ceylonese.
Twenty to one against Monarch and North Waltham.
Twenty-five to one against Ugly Duckling and Quilp.
Thirty-three to one against Snowball.

RESULT.

The result of the Manchester November Handicap to-day is as follows:—
(1) Torelore.
(2) Arravale
(3) Orpi.

Betting in Manchester Handicap was:—6-1 Torelore, 100-8 Arravale and 25-1 Orpi.

The race: 14 ran. Won by three lengths, six lengths separating the second and the third.

Elunyd was ridden by Weston, North Waltham by Hulme, and Snowball by Ingham.

Alder did not run.

Owing to the fog, very little could be seen of the race until the straight was reached when Arravale led from Torelore, Orpi, Ugly Duckling and Irish Belfryy, 150 yards from home, Torelore came to the front and and won easily Irish Belfry was the fourth.

M.C. C. VS. NEW SOUTH WALES

CHAPMAN'S BRILLIANT PLAY.

LONDON, Nov. 24.

Sydney.—The weather was fine for a match between the M. C. C. and the New South Wales and the wicket was easy. Six thousand people attended. The M. C. C. scored 360 runs, of which Chapman made a century by a brilliant, forceful play which did not give a chance. His score included fifteen fours and the innings lasted 77 minutes. With Titchmarsh he added 148 for the third wicket. The latter made 79 and hit seven fours in a very steady innings of 131 minutes. MacLaren scored 54 and received a splendid ovation. His innings included six fours and lasted 66 minutes. The side's innings took 258 minutes. The New South Wales put up ten runs without a loss when stumps were drawn.

LONDON, Nov. 26.

Sydney.—The New South Wales made two hundred and one in the first innings. Macartney scored 63.

The M. C. C. scored 117 runs for nine wickets in the sedond innings when the play was finished for the day.

CRICKET.

M. C. C. VS. BORDER.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

East London.—In a two-day's match against the Border here, the Border made 70, and the M. C. C. 152 for 4 (Sandham 61, not out).

(East London is a seaport in Cape Colony.)

LEAGUE FOOTBALL.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

To-day's football resulted as follows.

League (Division one):—Arsenal two, Sunderland three, Aston Villa nil, Liverpool one, Notts Forest one, Birmingham one, Blackburn Rovers nil, Stoke one (this match was abandoned four minutes before time owing to bad light), Bolton Wanderers two, Manchester City one, Chelsea nil, Burnley one, Cardiff City nil, Huddersfield Town one, Everton nil, West Bromwich Albion one, Middlesboro one, Preston North-End one, Newcastle United one, Totenham Hotspur one, Oldham Athletic nil, Sheffield United two.

League (Division two):—Barnsley one, Crystal Palace two, Blarkpool three, Fulham nil, Bradford City nil, Derby County nil, Clampton Orient nil, West Ham United two, Coventry City one, Stockport County nil, Manchester United nil, Bury one, Port Vale nil, Rotheram County nil, The Wednesday one, Hull City nil, Southampton nil, Leicester City nil, South Shields nil, Leeds United two, Wolverhampton Wanderers one, Notts County nil.

League, (Division three—Northern Section)—Ashington one, Southport one, Crawe Alexandra one, Accrington Stanley one, Durham City one, Tranmet Rovers nil, Halifax Town two, Chesterfield nil, Lincoln City one, Darlington one, Nelson one, Rochdale two, Stalybridge two, Barrow nil, Walsall one, Grinsby Town nil, Wigan three, Bradford two, Wrexham two, Hartlepools United nil.

League, (Division three—Southern Section)—Aberdare Athletic two, Gillingham nil, Brighton and Hove Albion one, Swindon Town one, Bristol Rovers one, Charlton Athletic one, Luton Town nil, Watford one, Millwall one, Bristol City one, Northampton three, Exeter City nil, Norwich one, Merthyr Town one, Plymouth Argylle one, Southend United one, Queens Park Rangers one, Newport County one, Reading one, Brentford nil, Swansea Town two, Portsmouth one.

Scottish League:—Airdrieonians two, Hearts two. Alloa one, Ayr United one, Celtic three, Third Lanark nil, Hibernians three, Albion Rovers nil, Kilmarnock one, Falkirk nil, Morton two, Dundee three, Motherwell five, Clyde three, Partick Thistle two, Aberdeen one, Raith Rovers one, Hamilon nil, St. Mirren one, Rangers nil.

In a friendly match the Corinthians scored five goals and the Cambridge University two.

ALL INDIA COLLEGE STUDENTS' CONFERENCE.

Mr. Ishwar Dayal Tokle, Secretary, Sedaqat Ashram, P. O. Dighaghat, Patna, writes:

The third Session of the Conference is to be held at Gaya during the Congress week. Both co-operators and non-co-operators, irrespective of their differences, are requested to attend the Conference and make it a success.

The Conference offers a common ground of union to all the College Students throughout India. Let us, brothers, the youth of India find a centre of union in the Conference—in midst of diversity create a bond of union in the service of our commin Mother.

Suggestions from all Students' Associations are requested to send their suggestions for the presidentship of the Conference.

In the last meeting of the Reception Committee of the All-India College Students' Conference the following were elected as the office bearers and members of the Executive Committee.

President Babu Nathumi Lall, M.A., Secretary B. G. Shiwar Dayal.

BENGAL FLOOD RELIEF FUND.

The amount received from Mr. V. C. Prabhashankar is Rs. 51 and not Rs. 5 as ackowledged in our issue of 18th instant.

MR. SASTRI ENTERTAINED.

The Rt. Hon. V. S. Srinivasa Sastri was entertained by the members of the Western India National Liberal Association yesterday morning at 9 o'clock at the Servants of India Society Hall. The function was not open to the press.

CAUSE LIST.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

(MONDAY, 27TH NOVEMBER, 1922.)

BEFORE THE HON. MR. JUSTICE MARTEN.

(In Division Court No. 40.)

LONG CAUSES.

1580-22—Craigie B and C, Miller Timber and Trading Co Ltd v Haji Bashu Varaya, Payne and Co.

1515-22—Matubhai J and M, Maneckji Rustomji Patel v Muncherji Pallonji Contractor and anr, Ardeshir H D and Co.

596-22—Khandwalla and Co, Pranlal Nagindas Shah v Chunilal Mohanlal Gandhi, N C Dalal and Co.

2288-19—Malvi R M and Co, G G Nadkarni v Vithaldas Odhavji, Smetham B and L.

4607-21—Craigie B and C, John Butt and Co (London) Ltd v The Eastern Commercial Corporation Ltd, N C Dalal and Co.

206-22—Jamshedji R and D, Motilal Lalubhai Marfatia v Premji Vardhman, Shah and Chinu.

1712-22—Shah and Ch, Patel Atmaram Hirala v The Great Fire Insurance Co Ltd, Chitnis Kam and M.

2455-20—Craigie B and C, The Sir Waghji Wadhwan Camp Manufacturing Co Ltd v Moti Jetha and Co, Mulla and M, Edgelow G W and Co.

2277-22—Sukhtanker and G, Bhalchandra Sitaram Sukhtanker v Abdur Rehman Haji Mahomed Abba, Edgelow G W and Co.

2090-22—Ferreira and V, Vohra Abdullabhai Dawoodbhai Kurwa v Mahomedally Tajbhoy Dana, Khunderao L and M.

1682-22—Purnanand Clubwalla and J, Nusserwanji Hormusji Desai v Cawasji Pestonji Perry, N C Dalal and Co.

2008-12—Chitnis K and M, Nariman Hormusji Patel v Kagdi Jenumiya Haji Miya, Dallas and Co.

1693-22—Ramanlal and Co, Albert Carbal v Pascoal Rodrigues and anr, Mansukhlal H M and Co.

612-12—Mantri and Co, Bai Ratanbai widow v Valli Mahomed Abdulla and anr, Judah and S.

1435-12—Edgelow G W and Co, Eastern United Assurance Co Ltd v Jetha Dewji Nagdu and anr, Mulji Th and Co, Mehta L and Co.

2685-22—Payne and Co, Shivdas Mulchand v Nanalal Parbhuram, Mulji Th and Co.

1371-20—Madhowji and Co, Nanabhai Hormusji Moos v Nathalal Chaganlal and Co, Amin and D.

1461-20—Madhowji and Co, Nanabhoy Hormusji Moos v Narandas Dwarkadas, Mehta L and Co.

BEFORE THE HON. MR. JUSTICE PRATT.

(In Division Court No. 53.)

SHORT CAUSES (Rent Suits).

2442-22—Little and Co, Goolamhussein Moloobhai and anr v Souza Fernandes, Matubhai J and M.

2721-22—Amin and D, Manmohandas Kahandas and others v Jestaram Mukundji Pandit a firm, Manubhai and Co.

2747-22—Hiralal and Co, Damoder Sawalram Yande v The National Democratic Publishing Co and ors, Rustamji and Ginwalla, Motichand and D.

2552-22—Mansukhlal H M and Co, Ebrahim Mahomed Hatia and ors v Cooverji Cursetji Bhesania, Merwanji K and Co.

2853-22—Mulji Tha and Co, Dr Parbhudas Gokuldas and anr v Pragji Lalji and anr, Khandwalla L and M.

4856-21—Captain and V, Haji Yosoof Haji Esmail Sobani v J V De Souza and anr, Manilal and Kher.

5195-21—Daphtary F and D, Rangildas Laloobhai v Baburao Ganesh and ors, Manilel and Kher.

5199-21—Daphtary F and D, Rangildas Laloobhai v Vinayak Babaji and ors, Manilal and Kher.

5200-21—Daphtary F and D, Rangildas Laloobhai v Govind Atmaram and ors, Manilal and Kher.

127-22—Dastur and Co, Hamid bin Ali and anr v Najamae widow and ors, Unwalla P and P, Daphtary F and D.

1035-22—Payne and Co, Mulraj Khatao v Furdeonji Ardeshir Cursetji, Captain and V.

2307-22—Merwanji K and Co, Jethabhai Kallianji and anr v Muccadum Thakoo and ors, Rustomji and Ginwalla.

2829-22—Thakordas and D, Jwaladut Motilal and ors v Harakhji Dayabhai.

2830-22—Thakoredas and D, Jwaladut Motilal and ors v Jamnadas Gordhandas.

2998-22—Manilal and K, Kikabhoy Jafferji Abdulalli v Shaik Fayazuddin Shaik Yakinudin and anr.

3131-22—Shroff and Lam, Feroze Faredoon Daboo and anr v Cawasji Khursetji and ors.

3132-22—Captain and V, Ardeshir Bomanji Dubash v M K Hiramaneck.

3163-22—Purnanand and Clubwalla, Kakalbhoy Bhuderbhai Vakil v Shivlal Totaram, Raghavaya N and Co.

3174-22—Mulla and M, Mathuradas Maganlal v M G Jayaker.

3178-22—Ardeshir H D and Co, Chhotalal Mulchand and anr v Lawsenca Ras Mendonca Gomes, Mansukhlal H M and Co.

2799-22—Crawford B and Co, Bhagwandas Goverdhandas v Hormusji Nuserwanji Seervai, Merwanji K and Co.

2801-22—Mulla and M, Cassum Mahomed Mitha v Bhagwandas Ramdayal and others, Pandia and Co.

2803-22—Shamrao M and H, Shamsudin Mahomedalli v Nazaralli and Cumroodin, Vachha and Co

BEFORE THE HON. MR. JUSTICE KAJIJI.

(In Division Court No. 43.)

REFERENCE.

L A Reference 1-20—J C G Bowen—In Re Government—Jamshetji N Wadia & others v Wadia G and Co., Jamshetji R & D.

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

LONG CAUSE.

5107-21—Mansukhlal H M and Co, Shrikrishna Dinanath Dandekar v Jerup Teja and others, Dabholker and Co.

REFERENCE.

L A Reference 13-22—J C G Bowen—In Re Government v Jehangir S Daji, Shamrao M and H.

FOR HEARING ON EXCEPTIONS ON COMMISSIONER'S REPORT.

Ap 76-21—393-13—Hiralal and Co, Elias Haji Ahmed v The Hon Khan Bahadur Haji Esmail Seth, Dharamsey D and Co.

SHORT CAUSE.

2495-22—Jehangir and S, Gulamali Noorbhai v Nichaldass and Co, Dikshit M and Co.

LONG CAUSES.

659-18—Mansukhlal H M and Co, Maganlal Ramdas and ors v Amichand Panalal and ors, Ardeshir H D and Co.

1994-19—Ardeshir H D and Co, Amichand Panalal and ors v Maganlal Ramdas and ors, Mansukhlal H M and Co.

3423-19—Malvi M R and Co, Rai Bahadur Kalianji Tillock v Gulabchand Hiralal Amin and Desai.

1776-20—Surveyor and Co, Dolichand Pannaji and Co v Satyabhamabai widow, Pandia and Co.

496-18—Unwalla P and P, Akberally Jivaji Master and anr v Kulsumbai widow and ors, Little and Co, Amin and D.

3741-21—Crawford B and Co, The Eastern Bank Ltd v The Eastern Commercial Corporation Ltd, N C Dalal and Co, Edgelow G W and Co.

1688-22—Rustamji and Ginwalla, Himatlal Manji and Co v Barjorji Sorabji Shroff, Vachha and Co.

3629-22—Malvi M R and Co, Nandkishore Haridas v Kaka Dossabhoy Hirachand and anr, Ramanlal and Co, Ardeshir H D and Co.

4616-21—N C Dalal and Co, Malsi Kanji v Nandulal Ramdhan and ors, Madhowji and Co.

3196-22—Jehangir M and S, Motilal Fulchand v Jamshedji Nowroji Gamadia, Mulla and M.

1275-22—Mulla and M, Lalji Dayal v Mathuradas Haribhai, Soonderdas and Co.

3821-22—Kanga and S, Motilal Dayaram Yeshwant Ghansham Nadkarni, Ardeshir H D and Co.

2558-21—Wadia G and Co, Kedarmul Bharmal v Burjorji Bomanji Jussawalla, Edgelow G W and Co.

3757-22—Craigie B and C, The Gaekwad Industrials Ltd v Hamed Haji Dada, M B Chothia and Co.

3763-22—Craigie B and C, The Gaekwad Industrials Ltd v Gani Mahomed Jetporewalla, M B Chothia and Co.

4116-21—Tyabji D and Co, Prataprai Mulji Mooni v N S Trustworthy and Co., Soonderdas and Co., Chitnis K and M.

898-20—Malvi M R and Co, Jatashanker Manishanker Dave v Bai Awabai widow and another, Mulla and M.

1292-22—Matubhai J and M, The Bank of Morbi, v Currim Jivan, Payne and Co.

1193-22—Little and Co., Shaw Wallace and Co v Damoder Devidas, N C Dalal and Co.

1406-22—Little and Co., Shaw Wallace and Co v Bhagwandas Cullianji, Ferreira and V.

BEFORE THE HON. MR. JUSTICE FAWCETT.

(In Division Court No. 49.)

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

LONG CAUSES.

1893-19—Patell and Ezekiel, D Mohanlal and Co a firm v Ishwardas Gorakhram and ors, Jamshedji R and D, Part heard.

1896-19—Patell and Ezekiel, D Mohanlal and Co a firm v Chambamal Divanchand and ors, Jamshedji R and D.

84-21—Merwanji K and Co, Surajmal Badrinarayen a firm v Nanalal Bansidhar a firm, Mulla and Mulla.

2267-19—Madhowji and Co, Govindji Rattansi and ors v Mangaldas Girdhardas, Hiralal Th and Co.

2075-21—Dubash and Co, Chunniram Motilal a firm v Narrottamdas Motichand a firm, Jamshedji R and D.

4164-22—Chitnis K and M, Dr Eruchshaw Jamshedji Hakim v Shamsudin Mahomedali Bardukwalla, Khanderao L and M.

747-22—Motichand and D, Fulchand Tricumji v Govindji Vassunji and anr, Mulji Tha and Co.

1150-22—Madhowji and Co, Gordhandas Khetsey v Rahim Ramjanally and ors, Malvi M R and Co, Mulla and M, Matubhai J and M, M B Chothia and Co.

1339-22—Madhowji and Co, Karsondas Ranchoddas a firm and anr v Rahim Ramjanali and ors, Malvi M R and Co, Matubhai J and M, M B Chothia and Co.

3474-20—Motichand and D, Wadilal Purshotamdas and Co v Tulsidas Tejpal a firm, Jamshedji R and D.

4734-22—Little and Co, The Autogenous Welding and Repair Works v Maneckshaw Framji Mistry, Pandia and Co.

1716-22—Dabholker and Co, Dattatrya Hari Tendulkur and ors v Radhabai widow and ors, Manilal and Kher.

2999-20—Mehta L and Co, Damodhar Dharamsey and Co a firm v Esufally Allibhoy, Shroff and V.

2548-20—Merwanji K and Co, Maneckji Rustomji Oliji v Kawasji Burjorji Ghadially.

2765-20—Purnanand and Clubwalla, Vithaldas Thakerseydas a firm v Pratapchand Gulabchand Zaveri, Hiralal Tha and Co.

3055-20—Raghavaya N and Co, Nanabhoy Hormusji Moos v Rajabally Joomabhoy a firm, Smetham B and L.

3118-20—Jehangir and S, Chimanlal Mansukhram Shah v Messrs Need and Co a firm.

2695-22—Merwanji K and Co, Tyebbhoy Abdul Kadar Vasi v Shaik Adam Hassonally Vasi, Payne and Co.

2706-20—Ardeshir H D and Co, R M Dordi v A P Bhawnagri and anr, Captain and V.

2805-20—Amin and D, Madhowji Kanji v Vithal Atmaram a firm and anr, Malvi M R and Co, Judah and S.

2990-20—Kanga and S, Mulchand Vrijvallabhdas Kinkhabwalla v Natwarlal Keshavlal Zaveri.

2991-20—Raghavaya N and Co, Hiralal Vonilal Mehta v Edulji Jivanji Sopariwalla, Merwanji K and Co, For postponement.

2992-20—Wadia G and Co, Abdul Husein Abdul Karim and ors v Haji Ismail Haji Noor Mahomed Chandiwalla.

3285-20—Payne and Co, Wardhman Amarchand and another v Nathumal Gambhirmal, Malvi M R and Co.

1143-22—N C Dalal and Co, B N Lang v Rupchand Rangildas, Motichand and D.

BEFORE THE HON. MR. JUSTICE MULLA.

(In Division Court No. 37.)

SUMMARY SUITS FOR DISPOSAL IN CHAMBERS.

4709-22—Unwalla P and Papa, Govindji Madhowji v Burjorji F Mehta.

4888-22—Shamrao M and H, Wamanrao Bhai Thakore v Vishnu Ramchandra Parulkar.

3339-22—Mehta L and Co, Gangaram Hargovandas v Chotalal Maneckchand.

4789-22—Tyabji D and Co, Nandram Walchand v Esufally Allibhoy.

4511-22—Purnanand C and J, Chimandas Fatechand v Abdulally Umarbhai and anr.

4559-22—Purnanand C and J, Mohanlal Pitamberdas v Abdulally Umarbhai and anr.

FOR EXAMINATION DE BENE ESSE OF A WITNESS (IN COURT).

351-22—J C G Bowen, Charles Southey Marston v The Indian Newspaper Co and anr, Malvi M R and Co.

582-22—J C G Bowen, Shivlinappa Bhagappa Talwar v The Indian Newspaper Co and anr, Malvi M R and Co.

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

LONG CAUSES.

3479-20—Malvi M R and Co, Ratilal Tribhowandas v H M Chowna and Co a firm, Merwanji K and Co.

3490-20—Mulla and M, Sir Hakamchand and Dalivia Cottage and Oil Mills Ltd and anr v The Akola and Mid-India Spg Wvg and Mfg Co and anr, Kanga and S.

CONTESTED SHORT CAUSES.

1814-22—Soonderdas and Co, S R Bottlewalla and Co v Michael Edward Netcher & anr, Crawford B and Co.

4465-22—Payne and Co, Mathuradas Gokaldas v Durgadutt Ramnivas, Bhaishanker K and G.

COMMERCIAL CAUSES.

2804-22—Mansukhlal H M and Co, S V S Shivrama Pillani and Bros v Purshottamdas Hunsraj and Co.

1997-22—Raghavaya N and Co, Badrinath Sitarama v Khushaldas Nagardas, Ferreira and V.

2992-22—N C Dalal and Co, Laxmidas Tribhowandas v H Pestonji and Co, Edgelow G W and Co.

3677-22—Craigie B and C, Ranchhoddas Purshottam and Co v Gulamhussein Mithwani, Purshotamrai and Co.

1754-20—Wadia G and Co, Shivsamal Shivdayal v Narandas V Dossa, Amarchand and M.

FOR TRIAL OF ISSUE.

2551-21—N C Dalal and Co, Yeshwantrao Anandrao v Hari Anand Thatti and anr, Manilal and Kher.

LONG CAUSES.

3491-20—Jamshedji R and D, J K Shah a firm v Hargowandas Ranchhordas a firm, Soonderdas and Co, 2-10-22.

462-21—Matubhai J and M, Hirji Hormusji Kanga v Syed Hussein Syed Karmali alias Bassu Miya, Judah and Solomon.

2314-19—Unwalla P and P, Kaikhusru Framji Shroff v Khoja Velsi Deoraj, Mulla and M.

3725-20—Bhaishanker K and G, C Framji and Co a firm v Noor Mahomed Hussein and Co a firm, Edgelow G W and Co.

289-18—Shroff and B, Bai Nimatbai widow v Nazaralli Shamsoodin and ors v Tyabji D and Co, Manchershaw and N, Jehangir and S, Little and Co, Bhaishanker K and G.

1861-21—Forbes and Co, Rustomji Pallonji Kalapesi v Nasserwanji Bapooji Laskari, Patell and E, Edgelow G W and Co.

3394-19—F K Dadachanji, Sha Dalichand Vanarsidas v Sha Baba Khanchand and ors, Amin and D, Mulji Tha and Co.

3689-19—Wadia G and Co, Husseinbhai Mulla Abdeally v Mathurdas Bhanji and Co.

1200-20—N C Dalal and Co, Bisweshwardar Sheksaria v Tarachand Lalchand, Motichand and D.

2659-22—Ardeshir H D and Co, Sunderrao Gopinath Jayakar v Ramchandra Vinayakoke, Dabholker and Co.

3411-22—J P Wallace and Co, The Porcupine Foundry and Co Ltd v The Cutch Steam Navigation Co Ltd, Malvi M R and Co.

1673-22—Payne and Co, N H Moos, Ahmed Abdul Karim Gaya and anr v M B Chothia and Co, Ardeshir H D and Co.

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

ALLOCATION OF SEATS.

SUB-COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATIONS.

The Elections and Procedure Rules Committee, reconstituted by Corporation Resolution No. 2494, dated the 26th June 1922, say in their report:—

The Committee have discussed the question at great length and had various proposals before them, but before they could come to any definite conclusion Bombay Act No. VI of 1922 was passed under which the constitution of the Corporation was changed and the seats were distributed among the wards as follows:—

A	Ward	12	Seats.
B	,,	16	,,
C	,,	16	,,
D	,,	10	,,
E	,,	10	,,
F	,,	6	,,
G	,,	6	,,

Even after the passing of this Act the Committee carefully considered the question as to whether the Corporation should approach Government under Section 24 of the Municipal Act to have the seats redistributed in any way immediately so as to have the next General Election in January 1923, held according to that distribution instead of the distribution fixed under the amended Municipal Act, but after due deliberation they came to the conclusion that it was desirable to leave this question as well as the question of redividing the City into more wards for the consideration of the Corporation to be formed under the new constitution.

The report is signed by Mirza Ali Mohammed Khan, Joseph Baptista, B. N. Motivalla, B. R. B. Jeejeebhoy, Dinsha Bamanji Pestanji Master, Dinshaw Petit, Jamnadas M. Mehta, J. B. Baman-Behram, Jehangir J. Cursetji, Moreshwar C. Javle, N. V. Mandlik, Phiroze C. Sethna, Poonsey H. Meisheri, R. T. Nariman, S. S. Batliwala, V. A. Dabholkar.

Mr. H. P. Mody says:—I cannot agree with this report, which completely stultifies the position the Corporation took up when they protested against the haphazard way in which the seats were allocated to the various wards when the Municipal Act Amendment Bill was rushed through the Council. The allocation, besides, is so manifestly unfair and illogical that I am surprised that any one can support it.

Mr. Jehangir B. Petit, M.L.C., and Mr. V. J. Patel, being out of Bombay, have not seen the report, while Dr. Dadachanji and Mr. M. A. Haveliwalla have seen it.

"BOYCOTT THE COUNCILS."

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Deshabandhu Das, Pandit Motilalji and Hakimji while pleading for the Entry in to the Councils, have said more than once as follows:—They say, "Boycott of Councils means to enter (to Co-operate with) the councils in order to wreck them." It is all right. But is not their meaning the same as when one would say "Boycott of foreign cloth means to buy foreign cloth in order to burn (wreck) it." With due respects to the above leaders I entreat them not to put the ignorant Masses in dilemma.—Yours, etc.,

R. N. PURANDARE.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Nov. 25.

S S Songma, Mathis, Mauritius.
S S Sersa, Fenn, Rangoon.
S S Vasna, Hitchings, Busreh.
S S Santhia, Warrington, Karachi.
S S Upada, Brown, Calcutta.
S S Mulbera, Steadman, London.

DEPARTURES.

Nov. 26.

S S Garado Poole, Calcutta
S S Tregonell, Strike, Calcutta.
S S City of Exeter, Elliott, Karachi.

S S Songma:—The steamer Songma, 1,416 tons, Captain Mathis, orrived in harbour on Saturday from Mauritius, with ageneral cargo.

S S Sirsa:—The B I S N Company's steamer Sirso, 3,387 tons, Captain T G P Fenn, arrived in harbour on Saturday from Rangoon, with a cargo of rice and timber.

S S Vasna:—The B I S N Company's steamer Vasna, 2,043 tons, Captain A F W Hitchings, arrived in harbour on Saturday from Busreh, with a general cargo and passengers.

S S Upada:—The B I S N Company's steamer Upada, 3,382 tons, Captain Brown, arrived in harbour on Saturday from Calcutta, with a general cargo.

S S Mulbera:—The B I S N Company's steamer Mulbera, 5,520 tons, Captain W R Steadman, arrived in harbour on Saturday from London, with a general cargo.

S S Garada:—The B I S N Company's steamer Garada, 3,218 tons, Captain A G Poole, sailed yesterday from harbour for Calcutta, with a general cargo.

S S Tregonell:—The B I S N Company's steamer Tregonell, 3,176 tons, Captain R Strike, sailed yesterday from harbour for Calcutta, with a general cargo.

S S City of Exeter:—The City Line steamer City of Exeter, 6,022 tons, Captain A J Elliott, sailed yesterday, from harbour for Karachi with same bottom cargo.

Saturday November 25, 1922.

ALEXANDRA DOCK.

Shed.	Steamers	Tons.	Destinations.	Date	Agent.
2	Kaiser-i-Hind	5989	London	2-12	P & O Co.
4	Karroo ..	3141	Karachi	26-11	K N & Co
5	Karagola ..	3647	Africa	29-11	M M & Co
6	Circassia ..	4327	Glasgow	2-12	Sassoon & Co Graham & Co.
7	Drachenfels	3678	Karachi	1-12	Graham & Co.
8	Clanpracinlay.	3984	N. F. N. F.		J. Finlay & Co.
12	City of Exeter.	3965	Karachi	27-11	K N & Co. & Co.
15	Will Casino	3854	Madras	N. F. J. F.	& Co.

VICTORIA DOCK.

3	Barjore ..	968	P. Gulf	30-11	M M & Co.
4	Varsova ..	1957	Burreh	2-411	M M &Co
5	Mejaz ..	2183	Reod Sea Por's		N F T M & Co.
6	Indo Maru ..	3559	Japan	28-11	O S Kaisha,
7	Acquiea ..	4307	Trieste	1-11	L. Trestino.
9	Glender ..	3,23	Hull	N. F.	Graham. & Co.
10&11	Tamba Maru	3553	Japan	28-11	NYHKaisha

PRINCES DOCK.

F	Catri	2952	N F	10-12	M Italian.
G	Warora ..	1336	N F, N F	M M & Co	
GR	Sikk ..	3263	Calcutta	30-11	N F T M & Co.
N	Nagpore ..	3226	Japan	30-11	M M & Co

LIST OF STEAMERS EXPECTED IN BOMBAY.

FROM LONDON.

Gazana (not fix).
Caledonia due 1st December.
Khiva due 9th December.
Macedonia due 15th December.
China due 22nd December.
Delta due 30th December.
Matinana due 15th November.
Mashobra due 10th December.
Gazana (not fix).

FROM NEWPORT.

Clan Macnaughton (not fix.)

FROM CARDIFF.

Scottish Monarch (not fix.)

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Clan Morrison due 4th December.
Olympia due 2nd December.
Castalia (not fix.)
City of Adelaide 30th November.
Clan Buchanan 18th December.
Scindia (not fix).
City of Baroda 9th December.
City of Manchester (not fix).
Clan Mackinon (not fix).

FROM WELLS.

Mandalay.

FROM HULL.

Othello 29th November.
Hindoo 15th December.

FROM ANTWERP, ETC.

Brocktown due 23rd November.
Okenfels due 6th December.
Wartenfels due 20th December.
Boyne (not fix).
Sana due 10th December.
Trantonfels due 5th January.
Lena (not fix).
Trelevan (not fix)

FROM CHRISTANIA.

Yeddo due 6th January.

FROM TRIESTE.

Pilsna due 20th December.

FROM NEW YORK.

City of Shanghai due 27th December.
Naneric due 29th November.

FROM ROTTERDAM.

Bovenkerk due 9th December.
Ridderkerk due 29th December.
Meerkerk due 20th January.

FROM KOBE.

Sumatra Maru due 27th November.
Moji Maru due 27th November.
Java Maru due 27th December.
Wakasa Maru due 14th December.
Kamakura Maru due 27th December.
Tsushima Maru due 9th December.
Honolulu Maru due 12th December.

FROM CHINA.

Soudan due 14th December.
Karmala due 22nd December.
Sicilia due 9th January.
Kashgar due 12th January.

FROM AUSTRALIA.

Narkunda due 8th December.
Ormera due 30th December.
Moldevia due 5th January.

FROM AFRICAN PORTS.

Karapara due 3rd December.
Karoa due 17th F
Accra (not fix.)
Taroba due 31st December.

EXPORTS.

Nov. 25.

S S Kaiser-i-Hind for London—30 bales tirsed cowhides R Alimohomed; 300 cwt Ind condiments D D Framjee & Co; 282 cwt sutana E Virji & Co; 22 cases bristles Wise Robinson & Hughes.

S S Kaiser-i-Hind for Middlesbro'—500 tons manganese ore The Shivrajpur Syndicate & Co.

S S Circassia for Liverpool—70 bales wool raw R Veerchand; 10 bales wool raw R Peerchand; 25 bales wool raw S Ramchander; 133 bales wool raw C Chaganmul; 133 bales wool raw Gumanmul; 25 bales wool raw C Ramsarup; 60 bales wool raw E Virji & Co; 37 cwt Ind kapute seed C Jivanlal & Co.

S S Circassia for Marseilles—20 cwt Ind massur Ralli Bros.

S S Circassia for New York—6 bales cly sheep skin taned V Nandeoji & Son.

S S Karoo for Liverpool—200 bales Ind cotton Patel Bros; 60 bales Ind cotton raw V A Save.

S S Drackenfels for Antwerp—56 bales Ind cotton Ralli Bros.

S S Drackenfels for Hamburg—2 pots palma rose oil Volkart Bros.

S S Drackenfels for Rotterdam—165 bales cly cottonfly C Peraj & Co.

S S Drackenfels for New York—11 cwt coriander seed E Veerji & Co; 200 cwt commin seed J J Subhoy.

S S Capri for Genoa—500 cwt linseed Ralli Bros; 268 bales Ind cotton Ralli Bros; 100 bales Ind cotton Hirji Nensey & Co; 38 bales silk waste Ageo; 36 bales cotton hirsory Goria Ltd.

S S Kidderpore for Antwerp—560 bales Ind cotton Ralli Bros; 330 bales cotton omra E Spinner & Co; 132 bales Ind raw cotton N M K Kaisha; 500 bales dry hemp M B Kaisha; 52 bales dry hemp V Vishnoo.

S S Kidderpore for Hamburg—81 bales Ind raw cotton T M Kaisha; 64 cwt keny seed M A A Dehasty; 2000 cwt mowra seed Strauss & Co; 1000 cwt mowra seed E D Sassoon & Co; 4 casks salted casings Ad Meyer.

S S Kidderpore for Ghent—345 bales Ind cotton Patel Bros.

S S Umzinto for Antwerp—49 cwt gum arabic E Veerji & Co.

S S Umzinto for Ghent—220 bales Ind raw cotton N M K Kaisha.

S S Glenden for Genoa—200 bales clean cottonfly C Peraj & Co.

S S Aquielsa for Venice—114 bales Ind cotton Ralli Bros.

S S Aquielsa for Trieste—56 bales Ind cotton Ralli Bros.

S S Aquielsa for Port Said—30 bales c grey cotton yarn Abdulla E Egil.

S S Nagpur for Kobe—200 bales Ind cotton N Futehally & Co.

S S Tambu Maru for Hongkong—50 bales cly grey cotton yorn J David & Co.

S S Indo Maru for Kobe—1500 bales Ind raw cotton N M K Kaisha; 750 bales Ind raw cotton T M Kaisha Ltd.

S S Indo Maru for Yokohama—148 bales Ind raw cotton N M K Kaisha; 100 bales Ind raw cotton T M Kaisha Ltd.

S S Indo Maru for Osaka—850 bales Ind raw cotton T M Kaisha Ltd.

S S Indo Maru for Yokkaichi—300 bales Ind raw cotton N M K Kaisha.

IMPORTS.

S S Kaiser-i-Hind from London, Agents M M & Co—131 cases biscuits; 170 cases confectionary; 100 cases scott's emulain; 59 cases cigarettes; 700 casks cement; 337 cases brandy; 160 cases cheese; 56 cases toffee; 25 cases toilet soap; 11 casks ivory; 10 cases whiskey; 50 drum stone preserver liquid; 163 d/bags boiler cement; 4500 earthenware trough; 80 casks whiting; 80 kegs white zinch paint;

From Marseilles—15 cases wise; 300 cases vermouth; 900 bags almonds; 112 cases liquors; 14 cases velvet; 400 casks mill board dises; 20 kegs cetric acid crystal.

S S Warora from Basrah, Agents M M & Co—14817 bask wet dates; 450 bundles wet dates; 732 bags dry dates; 62 bags gall nuts; 78 bags almonds; 531 bags wheat.

S S Jalaputsa from Calcutta via Coast Ports Agents The Scindia S N Co—1154 pieces pig lead.

From Calicut—3070 bags cocoanuts; 232 bags wheat; 60 bask ginger; 277 bags copra; 49 bundles sandle wood.

From Cochin—1244 bundles coir yarn; 114 bundles coir rope; 70 coils coir rope; 49 casks cocoanut oil; 368 bags cocoanut oil cakes; 361 packages teak plants; 711 packages teak scantlings.

From Rangoon—5070 pieces teak spl sized sleeper; 1982 pieces teak planks and scantlings; 1069 pieces teak planks and scantlings;

From Moulmein—2974 pieces teak sleepers; 428 pieces teak squares; 1368 bags rice.

From Alleppey—3063 rolls copra; 420 bags peppar; 67 bags ginger.

SUN, MOON AND TIDES AT BOMBAY.

The following are the hours and heights of the tides in Bombay Harbour during the ensuing week. Hours stated in Bombay Mean Time, depth of water is at Prince's Dock still.

	Day of week.	Day of month.	HIGH WATER. Bombay Mean Time.	Depth on Sti[illegible].	LOW WATER. Day of month.	Bombay Mean Time.	Depth on Sti[illegible].
		Dec.	h. m.	ft. in.	Dec.	h. m.	ft. in.
	T	28	m 1 21	29 8	22	m 7 28	18 4
			1 15a	26 8		7 8a	15 10
	W	29	m 7 9	25 2	29	m 1 5	21 1
			8 36a	24 11		1 56a	18 7
	T	30	m 8 5	25 5	30	m 2 3	20 8
			9 18a	25 10		2 32a	17 10
	F	1	m 8 52	25 8	1	m 2 50	20 3
			9 57a	26 9		3 8a	17 1
	S	25	m 3 36	26 11	25	m 10 12	19 10
			34 8a	24 1		9 9a	19 1
	S	26	m 4 2 5		26	m 11 26	19 11
			45 5a			10 9a	20 5
	M	27	m 5 17	25 5	27	m 0 26a	19 8
			6 18a	23 7		11 47a	21

REPORTED THEFT OF DRESSING CASE.

Mrs. H. L. Stephens, wife of the Hon. Mr. Stephens of the Bengal Legislative Council, who arrived on the 3rd instant from England and put up at Nepean Sea Road, has reported to the police that some time on Wednesday night somebody entered her room and removed a dressing case containing jewellery and five pound notes, collectively valued at Rs. 7,865. The police on making enquiries have found the case lying near a bush outside the compound of Mrs. Stephens' bungalow, and articles valued at Rs. 1,270 were found in it.

THE WEATHER.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA.

Bombay, 24th Nov. 1922

Means of observations taken at 6 a. m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg.	
Fahr	29.842 inches.
Temperature of Air	81.7 degrees.
Wet Bulb Thermometer	75.7 "
Dew Point	73.4 "
Relative humidity of Air	0.736 "
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy—10)	2.4 "
Maximum temperature of Air ..	88.8 "
Minimum temperature of Air ..	76.3 "
General direction of wind from mid-night to midnight	ESE, ENE, E, NWN NW.
Movement of wind from mid-night to midnight	100 miles.

OBSERVATIONS RECORDED AT 8 HOURS ON SATURDAY, THE 25TH OF NOV. 1922.

DIVISION	Temp. in Shade. Maximum past 24 hrs.	Minimum past 24 hrs.	Humidity At 8 hrs.	Rainfall. Past 24 hrs.	Total, 1st November to date	Departure 1st Nov. to date
PERSIAN GULF—						
Bushire' ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dej ..	80.7	64.4	66	..	0	—1.09
ask ..	85.3	66.0	58	..	0	—0.17
Muskat ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. 22nd ..	84.3	69.3	80	..	0	—0.24
PUNJAB—						
Multan ..	81.0	51.9	57	..	0	—0.04
Rawalpindi ..	75.7	42.1	62	..	0	—0.24
Lahore ..	78.7	45.3	89	..	0	—0.05
Hissar ..	79.1	43.1	78	..	0	0
Ambala ..	78.8	44.4	86	..	9	—0.29
Delhi ..	74.2	55.0	55	..	0	—0.13
UNITED PROVINCES—						
Agra ..	81.4	51.3	58	..	0	—0.13
Mainpuri ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Jhansi ..	85.1	55.8	61	..	0	—0.14
Cawnpore ..	79.6	52.1	79	..	0	—0.35
Allahabad ..	83.0	56.0	70	..	0	—0.32
SIND AND RAJPUTANA						
Jacobanad ..	80.2	47.4	66	..	0	—0.01
Karachi ..	81.9	63.5	92	..	0	—0.05
Ajmer ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Jalpur ..	82.3	55.5	30	..	0.51	+0.39
Kotah ..	85.6	60.6	50	..	0	—0.08
Mount Abu ..	72.5	57.6	53	..	0	—0.21
GUJRAT KATHIAWAR AND CENTRAL INDIA						
West—						
Bhuj ..	87.4	62.3	57	..	0	—0.09
Dwarka ..	88.2	64.9	75	..	9	—0.01
Veraval ..	91.1	65.5	41	..	0	—0.23
Rajkot ..	91.0	57.7	46	..	0	—0.21
Bhavnagar Para ..	90.6	65.9	38	..	0.05	—0.11
Surat ..	92.6	68.2	60	..	0.13	—0.09
Ahmedabad ..	91.4	68.7	54	..	0	—0.13
Deesa ..	92.2	60.6	46	..	0	—0.11
Neemuch ..	84.7	62.8	70	..	0	—0.12
Indore ..	86.1	63.6	76	..	2.61	×2.28
CENTRAL PROVINCES						
Jubbulpore ..	83.9	65.7	84	..	1.56	+1.11
Saugor ..	84.6	62.6	67	..	0.87	+0.46
Hoshangabad ..	86.1	64.4	82	..	2.47	+1.97
Khandwa ..	90.3	64.1	77	..	0.59	+0.14
Akola ..	87.6	68.5	92	0.06	2.12	+1.72
Amraoti ..	82.0	69.3	88	0.14	1.48	+0.99
Nagpur ..	84.6	57.7	82	0.08	1.94	+1.30
Chanda ..	85.7	70.0	100	0.18	1.10	+0.45
Raipur ..	81.6	68.6	95	0.16	0.48	+0.11
KONKAN—						
Bombay ..	88.8	76.4	81	..	0	—0.44
Ratnagiri ..	88.7	76.1	82	..	2.47	+1.80
Mormugao ..	84.8	74.5	99	0.96	4.62	+3.63
Karwar ..	82.3	74.0	81	0.82	3.28	+1.60
BOMBAY DECCAN AND HYDERABAD—						
Malegaon ..	89.5	65.0	69	..	0.73	+0.20
Ahmednagar ..	80.5	54.9	89	..	10.00	+9.33
Poona ..	79.8	65.7	86	..	6.52	+5.73
Sholapur ..	83.7	70.5	90	0.45	2.36	+1.49
Bijapur ..	74.1	67.8	91	0.48	3.95	+3.19
Belgaum ..	76.1	66.4	96	0.10	3.29	+1.39
Aurangabad ..	82.4	67.5	88	..	5.64	+5.01
Nizamabad (Indur)	88.1	69.3	89	..	1.38	+0.80
Hyderabad ..	32.8	69.9	88	..	0.86	+0.04
MALABAR & CEYLON						
Manglore ..	88.0	72.4	80	0.34	2.96	+0.26
Calicut ..	86.8	75.1	86	..	8.93	+4.59
Cochin ..	87.1	76.6	80	0.01	12.16	+6.41
Colombo ..	84.2	72.4	95	..	19.64	+8.01
MADRAS EXCLUDING MALABAR) AND MYSORE—						
Mustipatam ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bellary ..	83.1	70.7	88	0.37	6.33	×4.51
Cuddapah ..	93.4	72.8	81	..	11.05	×8.11
Madras ..	86.0	75.9	87	..	29.63	×18.43
Bangalore ..	82.5	62.6	81	..	4.97	×2.49
Coimbatore ..	87.9	59.3	79	..	3.03	0.02
Trichinopoly ..	89.5	71.3	78	..	10.63	×6.25
Negapatam ..	83.9	76.0	89	..	5.34	—7.83

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Saturday, the 25th November 1922, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Skies are clear and at Lahore and Hissar humidity is in excess. Day temperature was below normal at Delhi and night temperature was below the average at Hissar.

The United Provinces.—Skies are clear. Humidity is nearly normal. Temperature was nearly normal.

Sind and Rajputana.—Skies are lightly clouded in south Rajputana. Humidity is in defect in north Rajputana and in excess at Mount Abu. Night temperature was below normal at Bikaner.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Skies are lightly clouded in south Gujarat and south Kathiawar. Humidity is in excess in Central India West and in defect in south Kathiawar. Night temperature was above normal in Gujarat and Central India West.

The Central Provinces.—Akola, Chanda and Raipur report 0.14", 0.18" and 0.26" of rain respectively. Skies are moderately clouded and the air is damper than usual. Night temperature was considerably above the average.

The Konkan.—Mormugao and Karwar report 0.96" and 0.82" of rain. Skies are moderately clouded and humidity is nearly normal or in excess. Day temperature was below normal at Karwar. Night temperature was above the average at all stations.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Sholapur, Bijapur and Belgaum report 0.45", 0.48" and 0.10" of rain respectively. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded and the air is damper than usual. Day temperature was below normal at most stations in the Bombay Deccan. Night temperature was considerably above the average.

General Remarks.—The low pressure area persists in the neighbourhood of the north Konkan and a slight depression lies off Ratnagiri. There has been nearly general rain in the south Bombay Deccan and the south Konkan and local rain in the Madras Deccan, north Malabar and the south and east Central Provinces. The largest fall reported amounts to 0.96" at Mormugao. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded in the Peninsula and the south Central Provinces and are clear in the Punjab, Sind, Rajputana and the United Provinces. Humidity is in excess and night temperature was above normal in and about the northern half of the Peninsula and the Central Provinces.

Forecast.—An extension of rain is likely into the north Konkan and the north Bombay Deccan and a decrease is probable in the Central Provinces and the south Deccan.

India Telepraghic Summary for the 24th November 1922.

The residual feeble depression in the interior of the Peninsula has travelled to the Konkan coast and caused some revival of the monsoon in the Peninsula. Rainfall has been nearly general in east Hyderabad and the Madras Deccan and local in west Hyderabad and Mysore. A few falls have also occurred in the east Central Provinces, the Bombay Deccan and on the north Madras coast.

The chief amounts are:—Port Blair one and a half inches; Pendra three quarters; Bijapur a half; Chitaldrug one and a half; Mercara, Cuddapah a half.

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(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

BOMBAY, Nov. 24.

The following telegram has been forwarded by the Council of the Bombay Presidency Association to H. E. the Viceroy in connection with the appointment of the High Commissioner in London:—

"The Council of the Bombay Presidency Association earnestly request the Government of India that the office of the High Commissioner for India in London should now and hereafter be filled by an Indian. Such an appointment will apart from satisfying Indian public opinion help to promote better understanding between England and India."

HAWKING IN LOCAL TRAINS.

HAWKERS FINED.

In view of the frequent complaints made by the travelling public of the nuisance caused in the local trains by hawkers, the Traffic Department of the B. B. and C. I. Railway charged Ismail Noormahomed, Francis De Souza and Kanayalal Laxminarayen, before the Resident Magistrate, at Bandra, with causing nuisance to passengers on Wednesday last, who fined them Rs. 10 each.

KNOCKED DOWN BY RAILWAY TRAIN.

Mr. A. R. King, Coroner, held an inquest on Friday touching the death of Chandribai (30), who was knocked down by a railway engine near Chinchpokli on Thursday afternoon. The evidence showed that on Thursday afternoon Chandribai was seen on the railway lines, when the driver tried to stop the train. Chandribai instead of moving away came on the left rail and the left buffer struck her. She was knocked down and rendered unconscious and died on the way while being removed to the hospital.

The jury returned a verdict of death from her having been knocked down by a railway engine while trespassing the railway line.

REPORTED THEFT OF ORNAMENTS.

Gopal Ganesh Shrikande, a cashier in the Audit Office of the Development Department, residing at Amrit Wadi, reports to the police that three bars of a window of his room were removed on Thursday night and three trunks containing jewellery valued at Rs. 1,720 were stolen.

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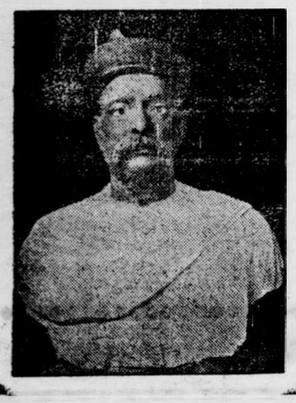

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BOMBAY LOCAL BOARDS BILL.

SELECT COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

The report of the Select Committee of the Bombay Legislative Council on the Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to local boards, and the Bill as amended by the Select Committee, are published for general information in the Bombay Government Gazette of 20th November.

REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE

The Select Committee have the following two main objects in view in their consideration of the bill: (a) a clearer statement of the agency through which local boards will perform their duties; (b) the advisability of providing for the employment of Government agency where this course may be advisable in the interests of economy and to avoid reduplication of stans.

For the efficient performance of the work of the boards a small standing committee, meeting at frequent intervals, is required; and the Committee have made provision for a standing committee, with the president as chairman, as a necessary feature of every board.

As regards the employment of Government agency, this is optional and a matter of arrangement with Government in each case. But the Committee anticipated some difficulty in a board performing its duties satisfactorily with a small staff scattered over a large area; the Committee, therefore are of opinion that it will be necessary to employ Government agency for some purposes of the board and have amended the Act to show that such an arrangement is contemplated.

NOTES ON CLAUSES.

Clause 4.—This has been amended—

(a) to allow of the elimination of taluka local boards where such a course is considered advisable or the establishment of boards for areas other than revenue divisions;

(b) to continue existing boards with their rights and liabilities, as it does not appear that section 7 of the Bombay General Clauses Act, 1904, would operate to continue the rights and liabilities of a local board under the repealed Act to a local board established or continued under the new Act.

Clause 5 (4).—The Committee have thought it advisable to insert a provision for the nomination of a member of the depressed classes wherever possible, in view of the necessity from a political and a social point of view of having their interests represented.

Clause 5 (5).—Provision has been made for failure to elect.

Clause 6.—It has been made clear that as many constituencies as may be required may be prescribed. The Committee are of opinion also that the terms "general" and "Mahomedan" are more appropriate.

Clause 9 (1) (c) (iv).—The Committee are not of opinion that a pleader whose sanad has been withdrawn for a specified period only should be disqualified from being a member of a local board.

Clause 9 (1) (d).—It is proposed to disqualify only stipendiary officers of the board: vide clause 38.

Clause 9 (2).—This has been inserted to assimilate the provisions of this clause to those in the proviso to section 134. Special provision has been made in favour of members of Registered Co-operative Societies, who include in their number a large proportion of the men who take an active interest in public affairs.

Clause 11 (2).—It appears to be the intention of clause 11 (2) read with clause 12 (2) that the compulsory triennial revision should take place immediately before a general election. This intention has been made clearer in the bill as amended.

Clause 13.—The Committee are of opinion that it should be open to the Collector to enter in the list the name of any person who is shown to be qualified to be entered in the list, even though such person has not himself applied. It has further been made clear that the Collector's order is not subject to any appeal or revision.

Clause 14 (1).—The Committee have made provision for the final publication of the revised roll.

Clause 15 (1).—A list is prepared before a general election without any direction of the Commissioner. A date common to both procedures is therefore substituted, the date of publication.

Clause (15) (1) (a) (i).—As two dates are mentioned in the preceding lines, the reference has been made clear.

Clause 15 (1) (b).—Talukdars are not specified in the Bombay Electoral Rules: and the Committee assume that they are held to be covered by clause 15 (1) (a) (ii), "holders of unalienated land assessed or assessable to land revenue." Special mention of them has been made in this clause ex majore cautela.

Clause 15 (1) (c).—As a list may possibly be prepared at the end of one financial year and the beginning of another, a more definite date has been fixed.

Clause 15 (4).—The relevant subsidiary provisions of the Bombay Electoral Rules have been added to ensure the [illegible] board lists being prepared on the same basis.

Clause 18.—This clause has been amended to cover the case of plural member constituencies.

Clause 22 (1) (2).—Original sub-clauses (1) and (2) have been omitted as provision for the continuance of existing local boards is being made in a separate clause (clause 34).

Clause 23 (2), proviso (b).—The Committee are of opinion that action taken under clause 23 (2) should be reported forthwith and to the standing committee.

Clause 25.—The period of 15 days' absence allowed to a vice-president is rather short. The Committee are also of opinion that absence from the taluka should disqualify a president or vice-president of a taluka local board: and further that the disqualification under this clause should relate only to the offices of president and vice-president. New clause 30 which deals with the disqualification of members has been amended accordingly.

Clause 26 (3).—The Committee have added a sub-clause to allow of a meeting being called by the Collector when the offices of president and vice-president are both vacant.

Clause 28 (old).—Vide note on clause 22 (1) (2).

Clause 28 (new).—The Commissioner should be given the power to extend the period of a local board by 12 months. Elections are generally held in March, and if the power of extension is limited to 6 months, elections would have to be held during the monsoon.

Clause 30 (1) (b).—The disqualifying provisions in the last paragraph of clause 134, relating to members already elected, have been included in this section.

Clause 30 (1) (c).—As the expression "three consecutive meetings" is indefinite and may cover a very long or a very short period, the committee have thought it desirable to enact a specific period.

Clause 33.—This has been amended to cover all causes of vacancies; of clause 25 (1).

Clause 34.—Provision has been made to carry on the existing boards until new boards have been elected. It is undesirable to have an interregnum however short: and probably some time will elapse before the new boards are elected.

Clause 35.—This clause has been amended on the lines of section 26 of the Bombay District Municipal Act, 1901, as more detailed provision should be made for the procedure of local boards and thus eliminate a principal cause of dispute. The provisions relating to committees have been put in a separate clause (clause 39) for the sake of clearness.

Clause 36.—In view of the large area covered by a local board and the difficulty of holding meetings at frequent intervals. The committee are of opinion that a standing committee should be appointed to perform the functions of the board, subject to such restrictions as the board may impose.

Clause 37 (old.)—This has been omitted as provision has been made in the Primary Education Bill.

Clause 37.—Provision has been made for the co-option of a medical officer or practitioner who though not a member of the board may be willing to serve on a committee.

Clauses 38 and 39.—Separate provision has been made for the appointment of other committees and their procedure.

Clause 40.—As local boards are now being dissociated largely from official agency, it will be for their benefit that officers of departments concerned with the district administration should have an opportunity of putting their views before them.

Clause 43.—The committee are of opinion that the inclusion of the words "loss and waste" will expose members to unnecessary harassment and litigation.

Clause 46.—It may be necessary to insist on local bodies taking joint action, e.g., for the collection of octroi in municipal and local board areas. The committee have made provision accordingly.

Clause 47 (old).—This has been omitted in view of the provision made in clause 4

Clause 50 (e).—The registration of vital statistics has been omitted as the local boards have not sufficient staff for the purpose.

Clause 50 (i).—It should be left to the discretion of the local board whether payment of members should be allowed.

Clause 50 (m).—It has been made clear that the construction and maintenance of light railways is a local board purpose.

Clause 63.—The committee anticipate that it will be necessary to employ Government agency for many local board purposes, to avoid unnecessary duplication of staff and have made specific provision for such employment.

Clause 78.—Audit and other expenses incurred by Government to secure the proper working of the Act should, in our opinion, be defrayed from general revenues and not from the local fund.

Clause 82.—While payment by cheque in the case of large sums is advisable to prevent misappropriation of local funds, the limit up to which cash payments may be made should be enlarged.

Clause 89.—Where a local board employs a qualified engineer, it does not appear to be necessary to require the approval of the Government Executive Engineer to plans and estimates prepared or approved by the board's engineer.

Clause 99 (1).—In view of the powers given to the district local board under this clause, provision has been made for their exercise only at a special meeting of the board called for the purpose.

Clause 107.—Bills and notices may be served by Government agency: similar provision has been made in the case of warrants.

Clause 119.—The appointment of the chief executive officers of the board should be subject to the approval of the Government: and as it will be difficult for the local board to defray the salaries of officers properly qualified to hold these posts, two-thirds of the salaries of these officers should be paid by Government.

Clause 127.—The committee are of opinion that a local board should have an opportunity to show cause why an order under this section should not be passed.

Clause 134.—Consequential amendments have been made in this clause in view of the amendments in clauses 9 and 30.

Clause 137.—Specific provision has been made for the acquisition of land by a local board.

Note.—The following members have authorised the Chairman Khan Bahadur Golam Hussain Hidayatallah to sign the report on their behalf subject to any minute of dissent they may have:—

Rao Saheb D. P. Desai; Rao Saheb Harilal D. Desai; Rao Bahadur; B. A. Vichare; Khan Bahadur D. B. Cooper; Rao Bahadur R. R. Kale; Rao Bahadur G. K. Chitale; Mr. B. G. Pahalajani; Khan Bahadur S. N. Bhutto; Mr. L. J. Mountford; Mr. M. W. Pradhan; Mr. Ebrahim S. Haji; Khan Saheb A. M. Mansuri and Mr. S. T. Kambli.

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COMPULSORY ELEMENTARY EDUCATION.

SELECT COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

The report of the Select Committee of the Bombay Legislative Council on the Bill to provide for compulsory elementary education and to make better provision for the management and control of primary education in the Bombay Presidency, and the Bill as amended by the Select Committee, are, published for general information in the "Bombay Gazette" of 20th November.

The Select Committee appointed to consider Bil No. XVII of 1922, have considered the provisions of the bill and the reasons for the principal amendments made in the bill are stated in the notes on clauses appended hereto.

NOTES ON CLAUSES.

Clause 3.—The committee are of opinion that a larger board is required in rulal areas; and as they understand that it is the intention of Government to use its power of nomination only when it considers such action advisable, they have made nomination by Government optional.

Clause 4.—It has been made clear that the school board is subordinate to the local authority, their relations being prescribed by rule. It has in particular been laid down that the budget of the school board and all re-appropriations therein shall be subject to the sanction of the local authority. The committee are of opinion also, that if the local authority so desires, all educational work of the local authority not transferred by the Act, should be transferred to the school board, and have added sub-clause (4) for this purpose.

Clause 5.—This clause has been inserted to allow of necessary delegation by the school board.

Clause 6.—Provision has been made for the transfer to the district local board by municipalities in the district, which are not local authorities under the Act, of all income accruing and monies received by the municipalities for purposes of primary education; and for the re-transfer of buildings, etc., to a municipality newly empowered to manage its schools.

Clause 8.—This has been added to local authorities taking over the existing educational staff.

Clause 9 (2).—Suitable provision has been made to safeguard the administrative officer in the exercise of his duties.

Clause 10 (3).—This clause requires a local authority to prepare a programme for the complete introduction of compulsory primary education within a specified period. The committee are of opinion that it will expedite the atainment of our goal, universal compulsory primary education, if local authorities have a definite programme before them.

Clause 12.—This is a drafting amendment. As Government is not required to sanction a scheme, no provision for refusal of sanction is required.

Clause 13.—The committee have amended this clause to provide additional aid to local authorities introduction compulsory education.

Clause 16.—The committee have made more specific provision for the inspection of schools.

Clause 27.—The committee have amended the rules clause to allow of rules on more important matters being made by Government and regulations on subsidiary matters by local authorities with the sanction of Government. The committee have further indicated certain purposes to which the attention of local authorities might be directed usefully in framing regulations.

Note.—The following members have authorised the Chairman, Hon. Mr. R. P. Paranjpye, to sign the report on their behalf subject to any minute of dissent they may have:—

Rao Bahadur G. K. Chitale; Rao Bahadur R. R. Kale; Mr. P. R. Chikodi; Mr. C. M. Gandhi; Khan Bahadur D. B. Cooper; Mr. B. G. Pahalajani; Khan Bahadur S. N. Bhutto; Rao Saheb P. G. Halkatti; Mr. D. D. Gholap; Khan Saheb A. M. Mansuri; Mr. S. T. Kambli and Rao Saheb Harilal D. Desai.

LONAVLA MUNICIPALITY.

GOVERNOR'S REPLY TO THE ADDRESS.

His Excellency the Governor in the course of his reply to the address presented to him by the Lonavla Municipality on the 22nd inst. said:—

With regard to your request for increased educational facilities, I can assure you that the suggestions submitted by the Municipality have received the most careful consideration of Government, but I am afraid I am not able to hold out any immediate hope of their realisation, for all available funds under this head have been diverted to the expansion of primary education throughout the Presidency.

Referring for a moment to your medical requirements, perhaps you may be fortunate enough to discern in some wealthy citizen interested in Lonavla a willingness to help you to make a start in your scheme, and there are many such residing in Bombay of whose generous donations to public works I have had ample proof. Let me urge you to find some one prepared to emulate the generosity of Mr. N. N. Wadia by providing a hospital and dispensary. Medical relief in India will have to be taken over in future more and more by local bodies and the charitable public if it is to reach the dimensions we all desire it should do, and Government must give preference to those places where there are no rich people able to put their hands in their pockets. The success of local effort in mitigating the results of the recent outbreak of plague is extremely praiseworthy and encouraging and shows what can be done by the people themselves under the guidance of an enlightened Municipality. If the Municipality will suggest what amendments to the building rules are required and indicate why they are necessary the matter will be promptly considered by Government.

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MANAGEMENT OF GURUDWARAS BY PRABANDHAK COMMITTEE.

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AMRITSAR, Nov. 23.

An Akali Jatha of 100 strong has left Amritsar for Ramdas to take possession of the Gurdwara there, according to instruction of the Shromoni Gurdwara Prabandhak Committee.

Near Teji village in Gurudaspur District ere is a Gurudwara that was taken over the S.G.P.C. from the Mahant some onths ago. Since then the S.G.P.C. has een managing it after dismissing the Mahant on account of his alleged bad character. It appears that the Mahant has remtly become active and is persuading eople in neighbouring villages to contribute money to the fund he is raising in e name of the Gurudwara. The apinted manager of the S.G.P.C. at Teja urudwara urges people not to support e Mahant.

SIKH LEADERS' TRIAL.

The hearing of Sikh leaders' trial was resumed to-day. Sardar Saheb Iswar Singh the Jaildar of Guru-ka-Bagh an important itness was examined. He stated at length he particulars of the dewan held at Guru-a-Bagh on January 31 on the Mahant's mbracing Sikhism and his subsequent reunciation of the same and later on how e Akalis took possession of the Gurudara. The witness read out revenue reords showing that the grove of the Kikar ees stood in the name of Gurudwara. ie case has been adjourned till December 4th when possibly Mr. Dinanath, Deputy ommissioner and Rai Bahadur Sir Gangaam of Lahore will be examined.

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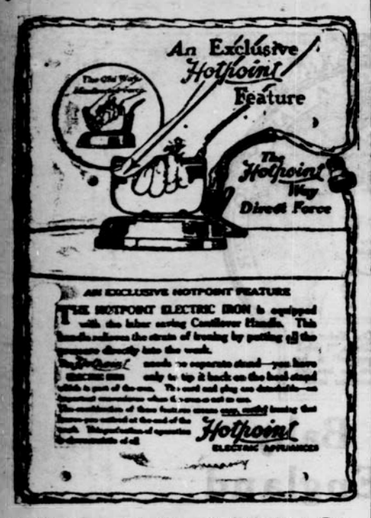

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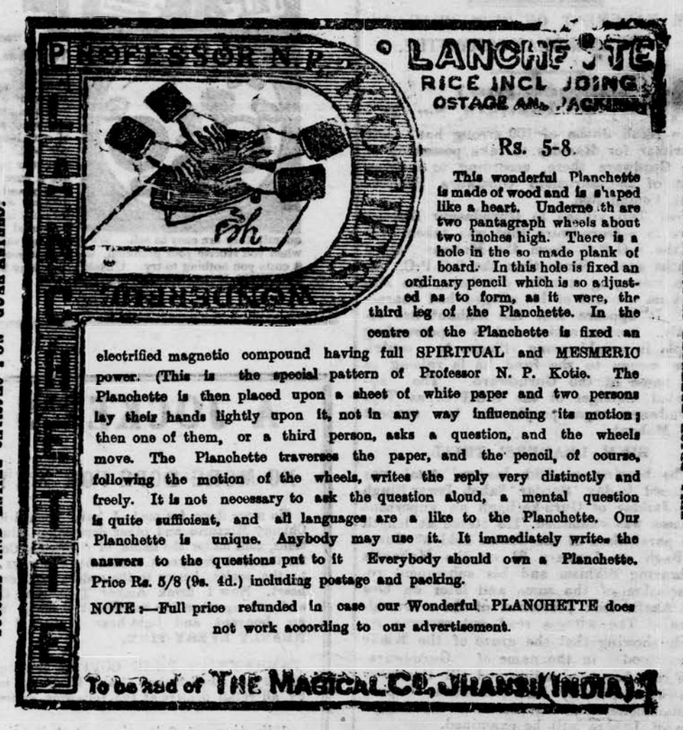

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